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OF \$350,000 FOR MIS-

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Benefits.

Nominated to Supreme Bench.

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OF DELEGATES TO CON-VENTION.

Unanimous-Southern Delegation Is Cut.

Washington, Dec. 17 .- The republican national committee tonight conwhich would reduce the quota of southern states from 33 to 16 per cent quota of York.

of the convention's total.

The action of the committee, criti-

committee appointed a committee con-misting of Charles B. Warren of Mich-hysteria.'

plan came as a compromise which reflected the views of many committee-

"Confident that the action of this committee, representing as it practically the unanimous sentiment will be ratified by the republican electors of the states; be it Resolved. That this committee shall

tion to be held in the year 1916 to dee president in accordance with the dlowing basis of representation:

"Both state shall be entitled in such inventions to four delegates at large. one delegate at large for each delegate from each congressional district, an additional delegate from each congressional district in which vote either for republican presidential electors in 1908 or for the republican candidates for congress in 1914 shall have been not less than 7,500, and that for each delegate chosen an alternate delegate shall be chosen in the same

the busis of the call for the national convention to be held in 1916 unless prior to January 1915, republican state conventions held under the laws of the states or called such number of states as are entitied to cast a majority of the votes in the present electoral college, shall rat-ify the action of this committee in respect to determining this basis of

The Vote on Resolution. The vote on the resolution was as

Aye-Arkanens, California, Colorado Connecticut, Delaware, District of Co-lumbia, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, New York, North Da-kota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Penn-sylvania, Rhode island, South Carolira, Tennessee, Utah, Vermont, Wash-ington, West Virginia, Wisconsin; to-

Nay-Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, Nebraska, South Dakota, Texas, Vir-

According to figures submitted by the subcommittee the new plan would reduce the total number of delogates from 1,683, as in 1912, to 293. Under it these states would lose delegates: Alabama 2, Arkansas 3, Florida 4, Georgia 10, Illinois 2, Kentucky, 1.

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CRY SET UP BY THOSE WHOM IT HURTS.

Vote Is 38 to 7, Which Is Finally Made Says Markets Not Flooded With Cheap Federal Reserve Board Will Be Organ- Committee of Twenty-five Makes Re- Fletcher Says All Quiet-4,000 Consti-Foreign Products, as Predicted by Its Enemies.

New York, Dec. 17.—Reactionaries who think to weaken the advocacy of to vote on the final passage of the rectors of the Texas Baptist general as to the safety of Americans in Chiprogressive measures by declaring administration currency bill "on the convention concluded its work today by Consul lican national committee tonight concluded its labor for reform in party
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ton of the \$350,000 for missions. adopting a resolution providing for a tonight by Secretary of the Navy radical charge in the basis of repre- Daniels in an address at the dinner limited to 15 minutes for each sens- prepared their report during the morn- opinion that the stories emanating Only Reason Given for Hasty Flight Festal Celegration of West End En-

"A few days ago," Mr. Daniels said, "a distinguished educator from a southern state in a speech in New cised in vigorous terms by several of its members, but made unanimous be-fore adjournment, must be indersed by states entitled to cast a majority of other distinguished authority, a statesvotes in the electoral college before it becomes party law.

In order that such action shall be taken as promptly as possible the mand being rejected 'as the result of

Declares is Not Hysteria.

"No, gehtlemen," continued the sector retary, "the victims of hysteria around the forward looking, promise keeping reformers who quietly content to the people that this new way. this gospel of private sitesmanily, is best for the country, but your hysterial man is that incarnate exclamation point of self intoxicated patriot.

Senator Owen expressed his approvation convention as per the following schedule, namely:

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#### PROTEST TO THE GOVERNMENT

"Provided, however, that the above Dallas Busines Men Go to Washing-Federal Building.

> Dallas, Dec. 17 .- A committee of of the Dallas business men left for Washington, D. C., Tuesday night in order to protest to the postoffice depart-ment against the location of the new federal building on the Lindsley proprederal building on the Lindsley property at Bryan and Masten streets, as proposed by a treasury department of against the provision of the Owen bill such schedules in caring for all the icial, recently in Dallas to inspect the Tarious sites.

The committee is composed of T. I. Camp. S. G. Davis, L. L. Bristol, T.

J. Carney and R. W. Higginbotham.
They say that they are not boosting for any particular location for the building, but merely want it in a Continued on Page 5. downtown situation. They carry with them records and statistics which they claim will proce to Postmaster Gen-eral Burleson that 75 per cent of the stamp buyers of Dallas are opposed to moving the office from a downtown

Hotel Strike General in Cleveland. Cleveland, Dec. 17.-All union employes at the three local hote called out on a sympathetic strike

About 100 workers are concerned. the hotel managers say, while strike officials claim 150 is the correct num-ber. One hundred and fifty waiters already were out. Practically the same conditions prevail in the three hotels today as obtained yesterday.

## GIVES OPINION ON THE BLUE SKY LAW

Austin. Ded. 17.—'The blue sky law does not apply to the increased capital astock of corporations where such in the act took effect, and does not apply to the capital stock of corporations which were incorporated prior to the time the act took effect, and does not apply to the capital stock of corporations which were incorporated prior to the dimerical capital is paid in such the surplus earnings of the corporations which were incorporated prior to the dimerical capital is paid in such that the surplus carnings of the corporations apply to all increased capital is paid in such the surplus earnings of the corporations were incorporated prior to the dimerical capital is paid in such that the surplus earnings of the corporations were incorporated prior to the dimerical capital is paid in such that the surplus earnings of the corporations are not within the exceptions specified in the statute.'

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FORE MIDNIGHT-EXPECT SIG-NATURE BEFORE DEC. 25.

#### CRITICISE REFERS TO THE TARIFF LAW AFTER THAT COMES BIG TASK NAME GENERAL EVANGELISTS CONDITIONS AROUND TAMPIC

ized and System of Regional Banks Begun.

Washington, Dec. 17.-An agreement Dallas, Dec. 17.-The board of di-19." was reached in the senate late tion of the \$350,000 for missions, today. The agreement provides that debate tomorrow and Friday shall be the general evangelists for the state washington officials had been of the tor upon each amendment or upon ing session and reported,
the bill itself.

The following men wer

the bill itself.

While the legislative day may run into Saturday it is the expectation of senate leaders that the bill will be passed before midnight Friday night. If important amendments are still pending at that time, however, a recess may be taken until Saturday morning, as the republicans would not consent to the agreement until the democrats promised they would not keep the senate in session all night.

The following men were named for to the effect that Americans and other foreigners in Chihuahua were being subjected to gross mistreatment by the constitutionalists were without foundation, but in the absence of any official information on the subject it had been impossible to convey definite assurance to the many anxious invalved by executive committee of convention. The salary of these men will be \$1,600 per another foreigners in Chihuahua were being subjected to gross mistreatment by the constitutionalists were without foundation, but in the absence of any official information on the subject it had been impossible to convey definite assurance to the many anxious invalved by executive committee of convention. The salary of these men will be \$1,600 per another foreigners in Chihuahua were being subjected to gross mistreatment by the constitutionalists were without foundation, but in the absence of any official information on the subject it had been impossible to convey definite assurance to the many anxious invalved to the state of the safety of their relatives and friends. So far Consul Letcher has forward-ed to the state department of the state department of the constitutionalists were without foundation, but in the absence of any official information on the subject it had been impossible to convey definite assurance to the many anxious invalved the constitutionalists were without foundation, but in the absence of any official information on the subject it had been impossible to convey definite assurance to the many anxious foundation, but in the constitutionalists were without foundation, but in the co

Democratic Leader Underwood, of the state.

stripes with one hand and grips his tonight to settle all final differences rebate provided, protection-fostered over the bill and agree upon amend-

pected early tomorrow, affirmative sions, work on the currency bill will begin "We at once. The amendments comprised the essential features of the measure drafted by Senator Hitchcock and the five republican members of the senate banking committee. With these out of the way Senator Owen will offer his bill, endorsed by the senate democratic making these recommendations.

limiting to ninety days the maturity period of commercial paper that might be rediscounted at the proposed new

## RUMOR KATY SUIT IS SETTLED

W. A. Webb Declares Is Not Known to Him if So-Judge Coke at Austin.

Dallas, Dec. 17.-Unconfirmed rumors affoat in railroad circles of Dallas this morning said that the suit against the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway of Texas for \$155,000,000, brought by the attorney general of the state, was settled. The officials of the road, W. A. Webb, general menuca a settlement was known to them. The also stated by inference in such a settlement was not likely withcut some knowledge of it coming to general headquarters.

In direct conflict with the officials were statements that Judge Alexander

GREAT REDUCTION IN NUMBER SECRETARY DANIELS DECLARES BELIEVE WILL PASS SENATE BE. PRINCIPAL TASK IS DISTRIBUTION ADVISES STATE DEPARTMENT THAT MANY REPORTS WITH-OUT FOUNDATION.

tutionalists Camped Near Town and May Attack.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Reassurance

from refugees and federal partisans The following men were named for to the effect that Americans and other

num, and traveling expenses within from General Villa to its representa-the state. 

wealth with the other and bewalls an alleged tendency to put a period to class legislation; who wildly proclaims and been proposed by Senator Hitch-had been "And that the time for taking these dispatch from Rear Admiral Fletcher, while collections be: sent from the Tacoma at Tampico, at cock of by republicans and voted down and it was said several of these might be offered tomorrow or Friday by Sentator Owen and adopted as part of the last of the With the defeat of the last of the Hitchcock amendments which is expected as in the content of the last of Ward liner Morro Castle sailed on Tuesday at 8 p. m. But eight Ameri-"We also recommend that during the constitutionalists to the number about 4,000 are reported to be camping eighteen miles northwest of For the present the army trans-

port Sumner will remain at Tampico "In making these recommendations, bill, endorsed by the senate democratic caucus as the substitute for the Glass bill that passed the house.

Oncose Ninety-Day Limit.

Republican senators folined Senator Americans and the whole foreign marred by the news that 4,000 constitutionalists are encamped near such schedules in caring for all the town and may renew their attack on Master's work, as in His sight they the federal defenses as soon as they

can replenish their store of ammuni-There is likely to be little change in Boston, Dec. 17.—Ezra Ripley Thay-er, dean of the Harvard law school. the disposition of the vessels of the American fleet near Tampico for the was nominated for associate justice present.

#### of the supreme court by Governor Foss BOOM COL. FRANK P. HOLLAND

Friends Believe Publisher of "Farm and Ranch" Likely Gubernatorial Timber.

Dallas, Dec. 17 .- Friends of Colonel Frank P. Holland of Dallas are considering him a likely stick of gubernatorial timber. They have in Dallas and elsewhere raised a boom of fairsized proportions, and are trying to induce him to enter the race. Whether he will or not is not known from those who are talking his candidacy. but they have hopes that the publish-er of Farm and Ranch will heed their Colonel Holland is well known in all parts of Texas, and should he consider a race for the democratic nominahe has numberless friends to ral-

Asks for Liberty of Perugia.

# CHARTER SWATTED AT BANQUET OF FIREMEN

# ON CHIHUAHUA FOSTER, TOO, OPPOSES

GENERAL MERCADO DECLARES WILL RECAPTURE CITY FROM VILLA.

DOLLINS AGAINST CHANGING TO A PAID FIRE DEPART-

"SWAT THE WHOLE CHARTER," SAYS RIGGINS.

#### SAYS WILL EVACUATE OJINAGA FIREMEN ARE AGAINST CHANGE

is That He Wanted to Communicate With Capital.

Ojinaga, Chihuahua, Dec. 17 .- "Unvith a view of attacking and recapturing the city from the rebels. General Salvador Mercado, com- ing a paid fire department and pro-

committee adoption of the reorganization of the sace of the border.

Committee on Co-operation.

The sonate spent today in consideration of further amendments proposed by Senator Hitchcock, defeating the Baptist general convention of the American side of the border.

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should Mercado attack or surround said: Chihuahua, where General Francisco mission needs more power to abolish Villa and the main body of rebels are the volunteer department than the fortified he would check any rebel present charter gives them. They activity toward Torreon directly south. make the change at any time.

Rebels Prepare for Campaign South.

## COMMISSION TO EXAMINE THAW

Judge Issues Rescript on Application for Admission to Bail.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 17.—A com-dission to examine Harry K. Thaw determine whether his liberty under ball would be dangerous to pubsafety, was announced in a reript issued by Judge Aldrich in fed-In the rescript, which is on Thaw's they want me I am going to stay with application for admission to bail unmy boys."

Oil Plant Burns at Oakland.
Oakland, Cal., Dec. 17.—Fire practically destroyed the local plant of the Pacific Oil Refining company today, posed the paid department and praised the work of the department during the

gine Company Develops Into a

Police Demonstration.

The fourth annual banquet of West ess present plans are changed and I End Company No. 2 of Waco city fire ce no reason why they should be, the department, held last night at the ederal army will leave Ojinaga with- Twelfth street station, crystalized into n a few days to march to Chihuahua an expression against the proposed amendments to the city charter creat-

Federal officers had information that volunteer men sacrifice their interests

Close to His Heart.

General to his heart than now. With reference Juarez, Dec. 17.—Despite General to his heart than now.

Juarez, Dec. 17.—Despite General to his heart than now.

Mercado's statement at Ojinaga that to the public service commission, he said he disliked any proposal which said he disliked any proposal which would empower the commission to create such a commission, but give no power to get rid of them, making such a commission self-supreme. Chief Prescott said he had served

under eleven administrations. When one engine. Today there were nine-teen pieces of apparatus, thirty-four paid men and the volunteers. He said the local department was the best in the United States, that he had been in every state in the union and he had

Threatens to Resign. Ending his talk the grizzled chief said: "I am geting old. Soon I will turn it over to some of the boys. I ge Aldrich in fed-The commission The old charter gives the commission cord: Dr. Morton Prince, Boston; Dr. Charles P. Bancroft, Concord.

The cold charter gives the commission the power to make the department cord; Dr. Morton Prince, Boston; Dr. paid. When it comes to the paid department I will resign. As long as Dr. Charles P. Bancroft, Concord.

application for admission to bail under the habeas corpus proceedings, Judge Aldrich says whether Thaw is insane or not the commissioners' opinion is "sought upon the question whether it is reasonably probable that his liberty under bail would be dangerous to the public peace and safety."

When the report of the commission is presented the parties may "have leave to be heard further on the question of bail.

My boys."

Riggins Against a Change.

Waco." said the department should remain as it is; that when he saw the provision in the charter to have a paid department he said. "They don't know what they are doing." He said Waco had the lowest key rate of insurance of any town in Texas and asked why an effort should be made to do better an effort should be made to do better than this. He advocated "swatting"

## CHARGES MADE AGAINST

# Plorence, Italy, Dec. 17.—Counsel for Vincenzo Perugia, charged with abstracting the "Mona Lisa" from the Louvre at Paris, has asked that Perugia be given his liberty on the ground that France has not entered prosecution against him before the Italian courts. Washington, Dec. 17.—Secretary Gardison today asked Attorney General McReynolds to rule on the question whether John Burke, manager of the Panama railway commissary department, whose transactions are under investigation, is a government employe of the employe of a private corporation. It was pointed out that the Panama railroad employees are not in the government employe to the plant of the plant of the plant of the plant of the countries. Thomas W. Griffith Dead. Upon the attorney general's employe is a private corporation, churchise the plant of the plant of the government. It was pointed out that the Panama railroad employees are not in the government empl Probably fair and slightly warmer is predicted by Dr. I. Block, local volunteer observer, for today. Local Temperatures. State of thermometer and barometer yesterday, as recorded by Dr. Block: Maximum 61, minimum 56. Barometer 30,11; hunsidity 84; rainfail 3. The total wind passage for the 24 hours ended at 7 p. m. was 98 miles. the highest velocity statined by the wind being 8 miles, between 12 noon and 1 p. m. Washington Forecast. And the planta will take place tomorrow after the highest velocity statined by the wind being 8 miles, between 12 noon and 1 p. m. Washington Forecast. Washington Joe July Forecast And Washington Joe July Forecast And

second class matter by fast freight, instead of by the regular mail routes, the postmaster general expresses earnestly the hope "that congress will remove the prohibition against the extension of this system of handling second class matter and enable the department to apply it where found practicable."

It is the announced purpose of Mr.

Burleson not to encourage the extension of free delivery of mails in villages, because of the inferiority of the service and the impossibility to secure economical administration of it. It is his intention, therefore, wherever practicable to utilize the services of pural carriers for the delivery of mails.

rural carriers for the delivery of mails On that phase of the service, the re-

"As rural routes emanate from prac-

"As rural routes emanate from practically all of the places where this village delivery service would be desired, the carriers should be used to make such deliveries as may be desirable and feasible to the residents of the villages. The compensation of rural carriers, however, at this time is based on the length of their routes and to make them available for the service indicated, their salaries should

service indicated, their salaries should be based upon an eight-hour day. With this change these carriers could

be used not only to supplement the general delivery service as indicated.

In conclusion, Postmaster Genera

ness institution, which touches every home in the land. A high standard of efficiency is demanded of all postal employes and he says that he will re-quire from every postmaster his indi-vidual attention to the affairs of his office and that this requirement.

office and that this requirement will be rigidly enforced. "For this reason," he says, "the

merit system should be adhered to in the postoffice department above all

others in order to secure the very highest standard of efficiency in the

PLANS ATTACK ON CHIHUAHUA

Continued From Page 1

ture Chihusahua, General Benavides. commander at Juarez, said today that the rebels were preparing for an ac-

tive campaign southward.
"It was General Villa's intention aft-

or reaching Chibushua to carry the campaign southward and that has not been abandoned." Benavides said. "Already 2,000 rebels are near Ojinaga. If the federals attempt to march from the border they will be attacked." That he does not intend

to restore the property of foreigners who participated in the revolution and that he considered the expelled Span-lards as having so participated, was

He said that in expelling the

the justification given by

cording to the position taken by

consequences as Mexican citizens

eral Carranza, with whom he was in full accord. Those who had taken part in the internal affairs of the

he would protect all neutral foreign-

VILLA IN DENIAL

Hermosillo, Dec. 17.-General Fran-

Negress Held on Theft Charge.

Villa in a long report received today by General Carranza de-

conduct of its Affairs."

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ernment."



Consult us for Safety. REMEMBER:

It Is Better to Be Safe Largest Texas Company

Writing

TITLE GUARANTY Thirteenth Floor Amicable

Chief Prescott's statement about "his boys" was the best evidence that the volunteer department was the best.

plained that decarding the fire department in the charter, it was not necessary to vote against that document as a whole, as this question was to be submitted on the alternative. He said he was going to vote for the charter and against the paid fire department; that he was going to vote for the charter because it contained the provision which will compel the city to invest its money in its own bonds and because it would place the bonds and because it would place the conducted by the post of the city to invest its money in its own bonds and because it would place the conducted by the post of the city to invest its money in its own plished only through government ownbonds and because it would place the conducted by 19 can be accomplished only through government ownbonds and because it would place the conducted by 19 can be accomplished only through government ownbonds and because it would place the conducted by 19 can be accomplished only through government ownbonds and because it would place the conducted by 19 can be accomplished only through government ownbonds and because it would place the conducted by 19 can be accomplished only through government ownbonds and because it would place the conducted by 19 can be accomplished only through government ownbonds and because it would place the conducted by 19 can be accomplished only through government ownbonds and because it would place the conducted by 19 can be accomplished only through government ownbonds and because it would place the conducted by 19 can be additional. This is and it is to be regerted that congress and its the easted as a part of the postal service, and it is to be regerted that congress and its the easted as a part of the postal service, and it is to be regerted that congress are important recommendation for the elding on the easted as a part of the postal service, and it is to be regerted

Better Than Old Charter.

He believed the city too small yet for a public service commission, saying there were many good things in such a commission and some bad ones. He said he did not know how bad the new charter is, but "God knows it can't be worse than the old one." He believed the volunteer department would do the best work at the least

The announcement was made by the chair that Mayor James H. Mackey was prevented from attending because

of a previous engagement. Ed Bauerle, second assistant chief of the department, said the efficiency of a department rested on its chief, its engineers and drivers, and next to them the nozzie men. He said that, like the chief, he went with the vol-

unteer department.

After the speaking the members of After the speaking the members of the company and their invited guests repaired to the banquet boards, where dinner had been prepared under the supervision of Mrs. H. T. Hickerson. The remainder of the evening was spent in the enjoyment of the good things prepared.

## Will Use Alaskan Winds to Light the

end an announcement was made today that the Right Rev. P. T. Rowe, bishop of the diocese of Alaska, has authorized Dr. W. E. S. Temple, head of the electrical engineering department. electrical engineering department of inary steps necessary for the government of the University of Pennsylvania, to design and build an electric light plant operated by a windmill for the use of accordance with Section 5267 of the that will have the effect of increasing that the effect of increasing the effect of increasing the effect of increasing the effect of increasing the effect of the effect of increasing the effect of the Point Hope is more than 100 miles

north of the Arctic circle, where the polar night continues several months each year

Bishop Rowe on a recent visit to Philadelphia said that the wind velocity at Point Hope is rarely below twenty miles an hour and that it avapproximately twenty-five has changed.

Baltimore Lawyer Dead.

Baltimore, Dec. 17.—Yates Penninston, lawyer, society man and former member of the local board of police examiners, was found dead with the gas

coroner gave a verdict of sui-Business reverses and domestrouble are given as the cause of Mr. Pennington's act.

DR. I. BLOCK.

Optician 413 Austin Ava

We Have Arranged to Have

## Cleaning and Dying Cone By Another Plant

Since the destruction of ours. We will call for and deliver and guarantee the same

## High Class Work

As Heretofore.

Shaffer & Duke

## BURLESON MAKES ANNUAL REPORT

POSTMASTER GENERAL MAKES A SWEEPING DECLARATION FOR GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP.

## HAS DEMONSTRATED ABILITY

Refere to Success of Parcel Post. street.

Wester Bully Second Class Mail "I had been in poor health and great." Wants Bulky Second Class Mail

supporting for the first time since splendidly, 1883, are features of the annual report feel toned up all over."
of Postmaster General Burleson, Vitalitas is Nature's most wonderful

Littlefield's Views.

Commissioner J. A. Littlefield explained that because one opposed the provision regarding the fire department in the charter, it was not necessity to the conviction that the postoffice department should have control over all means of the communication of intelligence. The first telegraph line in this country was maintained and op-

bonds and because it would place the power of appointing policemen in the hands of the commission as a whole and do away with one-man power.

Better Than Old Charter.

He believed the city too small yet for a public service commission, say-

"Every argument in favor of the government ownership of telegraph lines may be advanced with equal logic and force in favor of the government ownership of telephone lines, it has been competently decided that a telephone message and a telgram are the same within the meaning of the laws governing the telegraph service and therefore it is believed that the statute enabling the government to offices.

"To extend the provisions of exist, ing law so as to provide substitutes for railway postal clerks who are absent with pay on account of sickness, the expense of employing such substitute to be borne by the government instead of by the clerk.

"To authorize the issuance of postal money order payable at any money order office.

"To authorize the removal of the and therefore it is believed that the statute enabling the government to acquire, upon the payment of an appraised valuation, the telegraph lines of the country, will enable the government to acquire the telephonic network of the country. While it is true that the telephone companies have not compiled with the requirements of Long Winter Nights

Compiled with the requirements of Section 5267, revised statutes, this can not be held to nullify the intent of the law, since the nonuse on the part of the government of any of its constitutional privileges in no wise surrenders that blow in Northern Alaska are to be harnessed to light up the long polar night in the cause of religion. To this end an announcement was made to the second the right to exercise these privileges whenever the best intersts of rates and increase of weight limit to the part of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The report indicates that the growth of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The experience gained in the operation of the system under the revised rates and weights has shown that a further reduction of rates and increase of weight limit to the compiled with the requirements of Section 5267, revised statutes, this can not be held to nullify the intent of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The experience gained in the operation of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The experience gained in the operation of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The experience gained in the operation of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The experience gained in the operation of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The experience gained in the operation of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The report indicates that the growth of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The experience gained in the operation of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The experience gained in the operation of the parcel post business has been phenomenal. The experience gained in the operation of the parcel post business has been phenomenal.

pointed to make an investigation of this subject, to determine the preliminary steps necessary for the government to take toward the acquisition of the telegraph less of the most of the post of the Episcopal mission at Point Hope, revised statutes. This committee is now engaged in preparing its preliminary report, and if the findings justice will have the effect of increasing the volume of parcel post mail should be made gradually and only after exsuch action proper recommenda, will be made by the department

at a later date." Postmaster General Burleson pre-sents an elaborate statement of the financial operations of the postoffice department, including a discussion of the methods of bookkeeping, which he

The temperature during the winter months ranges from 35 to 55 degrees below zero. The idea of installing such a plant at the mission, where there are 400 inhabitants, originated, it is said, with the Rev. A. R. Hoare, who is in charge of the mission.

Baltimore Lawyer Dead.

Raltimore, Dec. 17.—Yates Penning.

"It is gratifying to report," says he, "that the total expenses of maintaining the postal service for the fiscal year ended June 20, 1913, is found to be exceeded by the revenues for the same period; that there is an actual surplus of \$3,841,906.78; and that the postal service is now for the first time since 1883 self-supporting."

As to his general financial policy. Postmaster General Burlesno says:

aminers, was found dead with the gas
turned on in his room at a club here
today.

The coroner gave a verdict of sui
The coroner gave a verdict of suiization of the service, which will be attained by harmonizing equipment, adjusting the personnel, and securing the greatest possible co-operation in every quarter.

"The prime consideration in perfect-ing the personnel of the postal service shall be to recognize efficiency and to shall be to recognize efficiency and to eliminate partisanship. In the exten-sion of service and in the imposition of charges the government must be guided not by the consideration of profit, but by the needs of the people, who have a right to expect the most efficient postal service administered in the most economical manner posin the most economical manner pos-sible, and made available to them at rates involving, for the service as a whole, no element of taxation. The service should be extended, with due regard for the exigencies of public revenue, wherever its benefits, com-mercial and social, warrant the expenditure necessary, irrespective of whether or not the revenue from each extension will defray the cost there,

Recommendation for Extension. Notable recommendations to con-gress for the enactment of additional legislation to facilitate and extend the operations of the postal service are made. Among the more important are

the following: "That the postoffice department be given exclusive jurisduction over the selection of the sites for public build-selection of the sites for public buildlings to be used wholly for postoffice purposes, and joint authority with the secretary of the treasury in the selection of sites for federal buildings to be used jointly by the postal and oth branches of the government service. "To amend existing law in order to allow \$2,000 indemnity for accidental death of any officer or employee of the postal service or for death within one year as the result of injuries sustained in the service in the line of duty. Provision is also made for leave

## WATCHED 72 HOURS TO LEARN RESULTS

New Earth Force, Vitalitas, Quickly Added Five Pounds to Mr.

"Something had to be done. I realized that, and so I went in for Vitalized that, and so I went in for Vital-ltas. I watched the results for the history of the postal service exceeded first three days—72 hours—and was amazed at the change that came."
Such is the story of Mr. W. M. Holmes, a popular and well known Houston citizen of 2118 Crockett instead of by the regular mail routes.

Wants Bulky Second Class Mail
Sent by Fast Freight.

"I had been in poor health and great. ly debilitated, probably due from over work. I was run down until I was only a shadow of my former self. I thought Vitalitas might strengtion me, straighten out my stomach and help me generally. I will say that I was amazed at the results. So far I have taken but a half bottle of Vitalitas and the net results are: I have gained five pounds in weight, sleep splendidly, am free of any stomach trouble, have a growing appetite and feel toned up all over."

of Postmaster General Burleson, transmitted today to congress.

Concerning the acquisition of telephone and telegraph lines, Postmaster General Burleson says that the government has demonstrated its capacity to conduct public utilities, and, from his present information, ne is inclined aliments as the following are swept and West and was a credit to any city. He spoke highly of the aid the department was the flood and said Chief Prescott's statement about "his conduct public utilities, and, from his present information, ne is inclined clearly to the taking over by the post-office department of the telegraph lines and, possibly, also, of the telephone lines. Discussing that the post-of the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and blood. It is guaranteed. At Powof the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and blood. It is guaranteed. At Powmaster general says:

"A study of the constitutional purposes of the postal establishment leads druggists.

and blood. It is guaranteed. At Powers. Kelly drug store. For sale by all druggists.

with full pay for a period of one year for injuries sustained in the line of

"To authorize the postmaster gen-ral to contract for experimental description description of that the postor-fice department is essentially a busi-1802 directing the postmaster general to report to congress the probable cost of connecting a telegraph and telephone system with the postal service by some feasible plan are evidences of the policy of this government ultimately, to acquire and operate these electrical means of communication as postal facilities, as is done by all the principal nations, the United States alone excepted.

Parcel Post is Example. alone excepted.

"The successful operation of the parcel post has demonstrated the capacity of the government to conduct the public utilities which fall properly with the postal provision of the constitution.

"The successful operation of the capacity of the government to conduct the public utilities which fall properly with the postal provision of the constitution.

"The extend the provision of extent of the advancement of worthy and efficient clerks in post-offices."

perience and investigation have shown that they may be put into effect with out loss or detriment to the service. In connection with what is re-ferred to as the "prodigious growth"

## HOT THINGS THAT ARE HOT AND DAINTILY **SERVED**

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Something hot every minute in the day.

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## of the parcel post service, particularly. Mr. Burleson discusses additional compensation to the radroads for carrying the mails. He says that data is being secured by the department which will enable him to lay before converse at a later data his concongress at a later date his con-clusions "as to what will be just and adequate compensation for all services Pure Beer is which the railroads have rendered or will be called upon to render the gov-It is pointed out that the mailing all healthfulness

The malt is a nourishing predigested food-the hops are appetizing, tonical and have a nerve sedative effect - the trifle of alcohol, 4 1-2% aids digestion.

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# Schlitz That Made Milwaukee Famous.

country, he said, whether foreigners or not, would have to suffer the same

#### ISSUE A DECREE REFORM LABORS ARE ENDED COLLECTIONS IN TEXAS Continued From Page 1.

Declares Foreigners Not Molested. HUERTA TO MAKE BANK NOTES LEGAL TENDER IN THE REPUBLIC.

nied that any foreigners were motest-ed in Chihuahua City with the exception of the Spaniards who were ex-pelled. Villa suggested to the su-preme leader of the revolutionists that the Chihuahua state capital be Bank and Government Guar-

made his national provisional capital.
"The foreign consul asked for guarantees for their countrymen and these Mexico City, Dec. 17.-A presiden tial decree making the state were given in full for all except Span-notes legal tender throughout the re-lards," said General Villa in his republic, a guarantee fund to be sub-

Lomax is president of the American alleged irregularities in state institutions. Announced through A. C. Anthe spirit of life in the wast and southwest. The address promises to be interesting and it is expected that many of the alumni will attend.

The official acts of Theodore Bilbo.

lieutenant governor, vecently indicted with G. A. Hobbs, state senator, on charges of soliciting and accepting bribes, will also be scanned. The gov-Idella Thompson, hegree in \$100 bond after an examining trial before Justice of the Peace Harvey M. Richey yesterday. She is charged with "touching" R. H. Hill, white man, for \$40. The theft is said to have been shall be shind automobiles, so flexible that sharp corners can be turned, is the invention of an 18-year-old California boy.

4. North Carolina 3, Pennsylvania 1, Soath Carolina 7, Tennessee 3, Texas 15, Virginia 9, Hawali 4, The southern states would have 164

delegates in all.
The District of Columbia and Alaska

were provided with two delegates each Louisiana 7, Mississippi 8, New York by separate action and the Philip pines, Porto Rico and Hawaii also were given two each without the right B. Howell of Nebraska led the

whom we rat the defenders.

General Villa told of the institution of federal soliders who were sent to flare and the federal soliders who were sent to flare and the federal soliders who were sent to flare and the federal soliders who were sent to flare and R. B. Howeil of Nebraska led the fight against the resolution. He said republican voters would not be satis-fied with a reduction of the sort pro-posed and pointed out the compara-tive strength of the delegations from

AMOUNT PAID IN INTERNAL REV. ENUE AND CORPORATION

Total Is Over Million and Half Dellors-Taxable Capital Stock \$795,253,922.24.

TAXES.

Washington, Dec. 17 .- The report of the commissioner of internal revenue He said submitted today shows total collec-

#### **Provident National Bank** WACO, TEXAS.

Capital, Surplus and Profits A HALF MILLION DOLLARS

SOLICITS THE ACCOUNTS OF BANKS, CORPORATIONS, FIRMS AND INDIVIDUALS, and promises careful attention to business on

ginia, Streeter Place; 3 o'clock.

The Bachelor Maids play with Miss Frances Luedde, 1712 Austin, 3 o'clock.

Frances Luedde, 1712 Austin, 3 o'clock.

The Morning News has inaugurated the Social Calendar as a convenience to the women of Waco. All secretaries are requested to announce days and hours; thus finding a conve; nience greater than the more tedious telephone. Individual hostesses can make their days and hours known, hence avoid interruptions by telephone calls. If the list is complete, the world

calls. If the list is complete, the world

Society Notes.

Twenty-five gifts, and the average

woman sends no more, will require twenty-five pennies expended for the Red Cross Christmas seals. Surely we can all do this much for the suffer-ing child.

Many a woman has had the distress

of seeing one of her cherished pieces of furniture marred by the steel coat

button or other seemingly innocent thing. Here is an idea: We can not youch for its being effective, at least,

a piece of furniture has a bruise w

the spot with warm water. Fold a piece of brown paper into severa

over it pass a well warmed, but n hot, flat iron. It is claimed that t

you can and thus save salesmen, driv-

Have you arranged for your contri-

bution to the empty stockings? We hope you have. Send to Miss Zoe Fitzhugh, to Miss Kate Friend or leave

Say what you may, nothing is quite so satisfying in a new year happen-

of keeping open house and greeting

Remember that the holiday gift is

ot all, the manner of tying and send

Many women's organizations are usng the social calendar in the Morn-ng News; some have not yet availed hemselves. Do so. The conveni-nce is untold.

Did you know that the Christman

When you are in doubt lead trumps

indle typifies our spiritual

It did not look over-dressed at all.

Combinations and contrasts and har-

The economical housewife is not se

she who understands the art of "make

cabulary was exhausted long ago,

the newly coined phrases do not put a

flood served you no worse. The stars say December and Janu-

ary babies will always have money Several little strangers have been wel-

comed from Babyland this December

It is now in order to chronicle the

rial relaxation from study hours. The

the presentation of a lecturer as sub-

stitute for the accustomed birthday in

This will be a wholesome lesson in

Society Personals.

On Sunday Mrs. Coke Horne is leav-ing for Corsicana where she will re-

main luring the holidays.

Miss Rowena Sturgis of Provident

joy of giving as well as in re-

Woman's Club has already announced

Why not have each little one who

monious tones are all embodied now

ers and animals,

at the library deck.

oking upward?

is harmless and worth the trial. It

icknesses and dip this into warm ater. Apply, when it is soaked, and

in general is made familiar with

## For Xmas

far off friends a present worth while and one that will be appre-ciated—send Pecans.

We are in receipt of a fresh supply of nice, large pecans which we offer in

> 10 lb. Lots at 25c lb. 50 lb. lots at 22 1-2c lb.

A limited supply of Paper Shell Pecans at, per 1b. 25c, in 10 lb. lots.

#### The Grocery So Different

\$500,000 FORTUNE AT STAKE.

Trial of Suit of McClelland vs. Rose et al. Will Proceed.

An official copy of the mandate of the circuit court of appeals in the case of Peter McClelland Jr. vs. John K. Rose, trustee, et al., was received yes-terday at the office of the clerk of the

United States district court.
The mandate directs Judge Maxey to proceed with the trial of the Mc-Clelland case, all demurrers being over-

against the trustee and the heirs-at-law is to secure for himself title to an estate said to be worth over \$500,000.

Says 10,000 Will Be There. John L. Hunter, secretary of college o'clock becomes
M. C. As for Texas, was in the
ty yesterday and spoke enthusiasis followed, th tically of the student volunteer move-ment which will be held in Kansas City beginning December 31. Mr. Hunter says that 10,000 students will be present from various parts of the nation and that every college in this

With a seating capacity of 3,000, Sait Lake City claims to have the motion picture theatre in the

USE GRANDMA'S SAGE TEA AND SULPHUR RECIPE AND NO-BODY WILL KNOW.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for re-storing faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beauti-fully dark, glossy and abundant. When-ever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with won-

Hut brewing at home is mussy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a 50 cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get this famous old recipe which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, feverish, itchy scalp and falling hair. A well known downtown druggist onys it darkens the hair so naturally

and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and after another ap-plication or two, it becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and abundant,

TANGO, WALTZ, TWO-S

Children, Wednesdays 4 to 6, and Saturdays 2 to 4. Adults, Satur-Saturdays-2 to 4. Adults, Saturdays, 7:30 to 8:30. General dancing 8:30 to 11:30. Admission \$1 per cou e Dance Saturdays 4 to 6. Prof. T. J. Long. Phone 2968, New

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# Pecans Current Events

In Woman's Sphere

BOTH PHONES 1958.

KATE FRIEND, Editor

this repetition as welcome to the new year, the Philo club is contributing a club is now adjourned until the first full quota of holiday pleasure. full quota of holiday pleasure,

MRS. FRANK FORMAN
HAS EXTENDED HOURS A HOLIDAY REUNION
WITH MR. AND MRS. STURGIS The invitations of Mrs. Frank Forman for tea this afternoon was for the two hours between 4 and 6 o'clock. She has since extended her at home which comes into the E. A. Sturgis which comes into the E. A. Sturgis which comes into the E. A. Sturgis The period until 7 o'clock, also her invitations to the men friends of her honorous to the men friends of her honorous to the Misses Frances Van Boddie daughters were born is sold. Mr. and Carry home all the holiday bundles and Lucile Hill.

Owing to the many distractions incidents to approaching Christmas, it was voted at the last meeting of the

MISS MARY HAYWOOD GLOVER
BECOMES BRIDE TONIGHT
In the privacy of her home, Miss
Mary Haywood Glover tonight at 8
o'clock becomes the bride of W. A.
Unior, from his school in Tennessee. o'clock becomes the bride of W. A. Little of Mart. While strict privacy is followed, this event is of wide-spread interest to friends, both of the bride and the groom. Recent and severe bereavement is the cause of the ceremony being so limited in guest

THE EUTERPEAN CLUB The organ recital to be patronized by the Euterpean Club during Saturday

MORROW STREET MISSION
ELECTS NEW OFFICERS
It is reported for the Morrow Street

Missionary society that a new roster of officers has been selected. These are, president, Mrs. W. A. Appell; presidents, the Mesdames H. N. Cochran, Laughlin, J. H. Hutcherson and E. H. Bruyere; recording secretary. Mrs. Rudolph Mailander; correspond-ing secretary, Mrs. M. S. Brooks; treasurer, Mrs. G. A. Clark; local treasurer, Mrs. Armstrong; pledge treasurer, Mrs. Hopkins, and press re-porter, Miss Margie Appell.

HOME RECEPTION FOLLOWS

Friends are arriving and many more are interested in the marriage at Temple Rodef Sholom this evening. In this Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Simmons give in marriage their only daughter, Miss Elsie Simmons, to Dr. Roddy of Cameron. Invitations have been out for two weeks, and the more intimate friends are invited to the family resi-dence on Washington street for a reception immediately after the cere-

Owing to some absentees forced from carious causes, it was the privilege of Llewellyn Aubrey.

GURLEY MOTHERS' CLUB

TO HAVE SOCIAL SESSION On Friday afternoon the School Mothers' club will entertain. The children will assist with a prothe social feature. It is the endeavor of this Mothers' club to place gravel date is definite and details will work attends the Story Hour at the library on Friday take something in small on Friday take somethi within the school yard; also, they wish to have a fence inclose the yard. They are looking well to the welfare of the children. The holiday recess for the Gurley school begins with Wednesday. Christmas eve, and continues until Monday, January the fifth.

In entertaining her card club, the Colonial Bridge, Mrs. Carroll Terry was hostess for the first time. Also, she had to meet the members of her ciub a coterie of strangers, thus add-ing another detail in variety from the accustomed weekly coming together. One of the guests, Mrs. J. D. Wilson, One of the guests, Mrs. J. D. Wilson, made high score, while the consolation was cut by Mrs. Lon Sparks. The saled plate with hot side dainties was the luncheon service. No game will be played within the coming week, but on Tuesday the thirtieth Mrs. Frank Sims entertains the club. Other than the club, Mrs. Terry entertained the Mesdames J. T. Flanigan, T. E. Lewis, Ed Laughlin, Quentin Ware, J. D. Wilson.

Mrs. W. J. Lincoln, 2028 Washington, 3 o'clock.

The marriage of Miss Elsie Simmons and Dr. Roddy takes place at Temple Rodef Sholom, 3 o'clock: reception in bride's home, 1717 Washington.

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Wilson.

THE LILY AUCTION BRIDGE
WITH MRS. ERWIN CLARK
The membership of the Lily Auction Bridge is now definite for this season. There will play as the club, the Mesdames J. W. Bass, William Breustedt, W. B. Brazelton, Erwin Clark, A. V. Cross, A. B. Cowan, Quitman Finley, E. A. Sturgis, C. E. Smith, George Zizinia, William Neale, Chas. Hamilton, J. D. Williamson, A. W. All that the old fashKoch. The last hostess was Mrs.
Clark, who had join the game by
special invitation; the Mesdames Alma Baker Moore, M. D. Baker, Pio
Crespi, S. E. Stratton and Nathan Patten. The prizes in Walting were last ten. The prizes in waiting were two pretty boudoir caps. These were won by Mrs. Brazelton and Mrs. Cross. The MUSTEROLE for Sor

TEMPORARILY ADJOURNED

The Catholic Study Club does not meet this afternoon. At the last Thursday session it was decided to adjourn until the eighth of January. The hostess for that day will be announced in the meantime.

Came on the South Side with Mrs. Luke Moore, Junior, hostess. Mrs. Moore is always the agreeable young matron, and she was this by special invitation to several. Among these guests were noted, Mrs. Laurie Brown of Arizona, with the Mesdames Loretta nounced in the meantime.

Two Mrs. man's activity in every phase, for this Keesee Reeves, Nelson Smith, Frank Wheeler, A. L. Brown, Sidney Bur-rows, Joseph Shelton of Corpus Christi, DANCE FOR NEW YEAR EVE
THE PHILO CLUB HOSTS
For the ringing out of the old and welcoming the new, the Philo club ter Gregg, won the head prize, a set the philo club ter Gregg, won the head prize a set the philo club ter Gregg. The consolation welcoming the new, the Philo club ter Gregg, won the head prize, a set will open for an informal dancing party. With the dance of last night to bid welcome to holiday gayety, and high score to Mrs. George Rotan. The

Mrs. Adrian Moore.

Among the holiday happenings of Mrs. Sturgis relinquish possession with the new year. Therefore, it is their happiness for this Christmas tide to Therefore, it is their Shakspere club not to have a lesson Monday. Those who were not present, will please take note. The club will be in social session by invitation of The last pleasure comes in the another than the session by invitation of the last pleasure comes in the another than the session by invitation of the last pleasure comes in the another than the session by invitation of the last pleasure comes in the another than the session by invitation of the session by invitation of the session by invitation of the session because th The action brought by McClelland twenty-seventh, at 3 o'clock. the bride of the family, that she may be expected from Tacoma, immedi

THE CURRENT EVENT MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. J. D. BELL What sounded an altogether prosaic subjected unfolded into quite an interesting review and discussion with the Current Event club. This was the Current Event club. This was says the bridge manual. So, with weeds and wheat. Papers read by the Christmas, when you are in doubt Mrs. Mordis Falkner and Miss Annie send a book. It is justly claimed that Mrs. Mordis rained and a series what the book to say that the book do, and what the plant wizard Burdoes, for it says that the one to whom the Euterpean Club during Saturday afternoon bids fair to fill the capacity of Saint Paul's church. This is a compliment from the club to active and associate members, also invited friends. This is altogether without the coin feature. The club requests no applause for the members to be rendered owing to the sacredness of the place selected for their program.

MORROW STREET MISSION

List reported for the Message of Message of the Message of Message of the Message of Message of Message of Message of the Message of Message Is it over-doing the thing to wear the throat beads and the extension necklace at the same time? We rath-or thought so, until we saw it done. Fred Meyer, Homer Wilson and G. H. Jackson. Mrs. Grace Wigley as Jackson. Mrs. Grace Wigley as overs."

Jackson. The club Red Cross sale chairman of the club Red Cross sale was in evidence. The attendance was the complete the was in evidence. The attendance was considerably diminished owing to the alarming condition of B. B. McReynolds, Mrs. McReynolds being a valued member. Mrs. Howard Lanham as member. Legislat the club for a social president invited the club for a social session in her home. She named the By this special be no more of bor's: is it any better? Let well bor's: thirtieth as the day. By this special invitation there will be no more of invitation there will be no more of bor's; is it any better? Let well the regular programs until the new enough alone and be grateful that the year.

THE WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. EDWARD ROTAN

The subject for the session of the Woman's Club with Mrs. Edward Rotan was an especially pleasing one, that of the short story. This form of literature is discussed more than Mother, have you realized the good it has ever been and the writing of the short story has come to be one of the literary forms as much as the structure of a drama or the meter of poetry. child and for the teacher. The paper was presented by Mrs. Ro-tan and was listened to with keen interest. The response to roll call gave quotations from short stories of handkerchief. Is it not surprising how PLAY WITH MISS RISHER of recent literature was led by Mrs. of recent literature was led by Mrs. Liewellyn Aubrey. Several of these A table talk on short stories we have shifted about that dainty lit if literature was led by Mrs. the toilet accessory? Miss Anne Risher to have several stories had been reviewed and com- departure of the teacher for their has been invitations for her game with ments were made upon them by the liday visits. Among these, Miss Miss Anne Risher to have several special invitations for her game with the Bridge Juniors. Three tables were playing and there was the usual prize, a piece of Parisian ivory, falling to Miss Enrique Smith. The Juniors do not adjourn for a holiday recess. The players by invitation of Miss Risher by Mrs. H. C. Black. The afternoon by Mrs. H. C. Black. The afternoon by Mrs. Antoinette Roplayers by invitation, Viola always cheering cup of tea. The atwere the Misses Beuna Clinton, Viola laways cheering cup of tea. The at- larton, Frances Luedde, Esther Corn- tendance was not so good as the program deserved.

The business feature of the after-

noon centered in arrangements for the birthday compliment which the Wo-man's Club will pay to their friends. Order for the others to take the sobirthday compliment which the Wo-man's Club will pay to their friends. They will present in an address Dr Mussulman, who made such a favor-The children will assist with a program, and all parents are invited. The club will serve refreshments as the social feature. It is the endeavor of the Mothers' club to place gravity.

FOR THIS THURSDAY the

Mrs. Frank Forman, 1603 Washing-ton, pours tea for the Misses Lucile Hill and Frances Van Boddie, 4 to 7 COLONIAL BRIDGE PLAYS
WITH MRS. CARROLL TERRY
Albert Boggess, 1715 Columbus, 4

Gertrude Hoffmann at the Auditorium, 8 o'clock.

The Sanger School Mothers' club Opens annual holiday bazaar, s other.

Thursday Auction Bridge plays with
Mrs. W. J. Lincoln, 2028 Washington,
Charles and Coman Shear come from
Charles and Coman Shear come from
Charles and Coman Shear come from

Yale for their Christmas vacation.

Mrs. Street of Alabama is the guest for a few days of Mrs. J. D. Bell. Washington and Thirteenth.

to the Girls' Auction Bridge; the Vir-

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pretty bouddir caps. These were won by Mrs. Brazelton and Mrs. Cross. The club decided not to play next Tuesday, but on Tuesday the thirtieth to have their game with Mrs. J. W. Bass.

MRS. LUKE MOORE. JUNIOR.

HOSTESS FOR CARD CLUB

The regular weekiy game of the Young Married Ladies' Bridge club

The rosted Feet—Colds of the Chest (it of Sore Throat, Bronday, but on Tuesday the thirtieth to have their game with Mrs. J. W. Bass.

Frosted Feet—Colds of the Chest (it of Sore Throat, Bronday, Baylor Bath House Fund.

"Your truly good remedy, Musterole, has saved my life. I was troubled for years with Asthma, Pleurisy and allied troubles. I could gain no relief whatever, I used but a small amount of your truly remarkable remedy, and to day I am a thoroughly well man in consequence. It is a Godsend to poor, suffering humanity. Refer to me, All letters be of especial interest to students of the Shakespearean drama, was an-

The Christmas Stocking

Should Be G.-M. Hose

Ladies' Hose for Christmas Gifts-beautiful, soft Silks or neat, serviceable Lyles; these are presents that are always in good taste. The Hosiery Section has the famous "Holeproof" in both silk and lisle; you can't get "Holeproofs' anywhere else in Waco. And here are some other Hose that are also favorites with Santa Claus:

Ladies' Onyx Silk Hose Heavy Silk with lisle foot and lisle lined top; all colors; per pair .....

G.-M. Special Silk Hose-The best obtainable for the pri white and tan; thoroughly guaranteed; three pair in a Ladies' Silk Hose for 50c-The best in America at the price. thread silk with double soles. All colors; at per

Ladies' Silk Lisle at 35c-A Hose of good quality; black only

LADIES' \$1 HOSE FOR 79c. Made of beautiful quality of Silk, with deep lisle garter top and high spliced heel; in black only. These Hose are an excellent value at \$1.00. This week we price them special, at per 79c

MISSES' 25c HOSE FOR 15c. Good serviceable ribbed Hose, in Misses' sizes; regular 25c goods. Colors, pink and white. We have only a few dozen pairs of these on hand now, and to close them out, we price them today at 15c



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In every one of the two-score departments here you are greeted with suggestions for the Christmas tree. A whole year of careful and painstaking preparation has made this "the store of ten thousand gifts"—the store of real Christ-mas service. To avoid the afternoon crowds, shop in the morning.

### Gloves That Please Women With Taste

No woman ever had too many Gloves; and no woman ever had better Gloves than these. All gift Gloves are sold with the understanding that recipients may exchange them if they do not fit.

Ladies' Amicable Gloves-Made of soft, pliable kidskin, in black, white, navy, tan, and brown; \$1.00 "La Perle" is a fine, soft Glove; has beautiful back stitching and three clasps. All colors, per

"Laurette" is an exquisitely dressy new Glove for Ladies; has pretty cuff of contrasting color. All \$2.50 Ladies' \$1.00 Kid Gloves for 79c

These are two-clasp Gloves of excellent quality of Kid, in black, white, tan and gray; value \$1.00 per pair; special price this week

These just fit the Christmas Stocking, whether they go into the stocking or the stocking into

Ladies' "Comfy" Slippers, prettily trimmed with rit S' "Comfy" Slippers, prettily Colors, black, red, pink and blue. Per \$1.50 Ladies' Tailored "Comfys"-Neat and comfe ouse wear; all colors. Per pair \$1.25

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button length, \$4.50 pair; 16\_button length Ladies' Doeskin Gloves-Walking Gloves of white Doeskin, with fancy pique stitching and one large pearl clasp. Per pair

| Long Gloves-Ladies' Kid Gloves for evening wear;

\$1.75 Kid Gloves for Baby-Lovely little Baby Gloves of real French Kid; 2 clasps. Colors, tan and white. \$1.25

Ladies' \$2.75 Long Gloves for \$1.98 Beautiful Kid Gloves of 16-button length, with 3

clasps, in black, white or tan; regular \$2.75 value; at per pair ......

#### Gifts in the Shoe Section | Handkerchiefs for Milady

Dainty bits of sheer linen, neatly hemstitched; with or without initial,

re linen of excellent quality, beautifully finished; plain or initialed. The prettiest ever sold in Waco

Exquisite sheer linen Handkerchiefs, plain or with embroidery; also pretty Madelra Handkerchiefs, with embroidery or initial.

Handkerchiefs for \$1.00.

Lovely Linen, Madeira or Duchesse Handkerchiefs, in pretty Christmas folders; some of these Handkerchiefs are plain, others have initials or embroidery

Finest Linen, Madeira and Duchesse Handkerchiefs; here you find delicate hand embroidery, filmy lace, hand-scalloped edges and all the other pretty ef-fects that Milady admires in a Handkerchief; folders, decorated with flower designs, scenes, rib-

# Red Cross Christmas Seals on Sale at Main Entrance

of departure for their omes in Weldon. The last of this week will find Scott

Hill at home from Castle Heights, Le-After a short sojourn at Aransas Pass, Mrs. R. M. Bain is again at the

coin to leave for the empty stockings? Kyto. MOOSE TO DANCE MONDAY.

25 New Members Initiated at Last Night's Meeting. Waco Lodge No. 662 Loyal Order Mrs. Fannie Wall and Miss Mable of Moose initiated twenty-five candi-Chambers of Columbus street are in dates at its meeting last night, and Marlin for a few days.

Mariin for a Miss Ben Evelyn McKie of Husse Hols.

Heights will be at home from Austin today to spend her Christmas vacation.

Lit is expected by the members that there will be a class of 100 initiated in January, when Supreme Instructor A. B. Wimsett of Kansas City will be a tighted ance.

Dance Next Monday. A dance will be given Monday night by the Moose and a general good time enjoyed by the fraternity and their

The Misses Etoile and Jimmie Messrs. Victor Bunda, and J. B. Chance and others of Waco, and J. B. Chance of Cincinnati, made some stirring addresses. The campaign for 1,000 mem-bers in Waco is progressing with a great deal of enthusiasm, when negotiations will be entered into for a handsome Moose home in this city.

Santa Claus visited the city hall At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c yesterday in the form of A. F. Loessin, known to the police " who showed his apprecia-

"Dutchy Is Cops' Kris Kringle.

gist cannot supply you send 25c or 50c to the received one of a lengthy assortment, ranging from overcoats to

BEN GREET PLAYERS COMING.

presenting them with \$100 worth of

Prof. J. C. Budlong, South Lynne, Conn., To Give Benefit Performances for the Baylor Bath House Fund.

Heights will return from her studies nounced yesterday afternoon by Dr. "A Midsummer Night's Dream." The t the "State" for the holidays.

A. J. Armstrong, who has been nego-performances will be, of course, a diss Mary Gallagher who is at the tiating for some time with Mr. Greet freeco, and Mr. Greet himself will apand they have come at frequent intervals, are altogether encouraging.

The Shakspere and the Current Event clubs are, so far all who have announced holiday session. It is in order for the others to take the so-order for the performances to be given here. The contrast was received and signed for the performances to be given here. The contrast was received and signed for the performances to be given here. The contrast was received and signed for the performances to be given here. The contrast was received and signed for the performances to be given here. The contrast was received and signed for the performances to be given here. The contrast was received and signed for the performances to be given here. The contrast was received and signed for the performances are to be given here. The contrast was received and signed for the performances are to be given here. The contrast was received and signed for the performances t

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The great cause of anti-vivisection suffers by reason of the understatement of its advocates at Washington.—Baltimore Sun.

The great cause of anti-vivisections unforced that the nominating committee at the meeting of stockholders of the Texas Cotton Palace association had done beta term with the other extreme. In which sections are all the mand and the understatement of its advocates a

#### RIVAL GOOD ROADS PROJECTS.

the opening of the new session of conwhich have rival good roads projects. priations on the part of the government for aid to the States in building roads of between \$15,000,000 and \$20,-DOQ.000.

Representative Dorsey W. Shackleford, of Missouri, chairman of the committee on roads, proposes that the government pay rent for the use of post roads over which the rural mails are carried. This is an old proposi. tion which has been in congress before. The government would pay rent on the theory that the money thus paid out would be used by the States

The alternative proposition is con-States co-operate in the building of

#### Relief Then, Routine Now.

of the west, dull dry-as-dust cases are rarities and ludicrous behavior comes curial "dignity." There is a certain manner of practitioner with whom it is a matter of course to out capers least, has passed the senate. portant than a suit on open account in a justice court. And we have with us etill that species of public prosecutor that considers it clever practice to

#### HUMANE REGULATION.

rather limited number of drugs is evi- ington, it is believed, for the conferdenced by this Kansas law, Public ence. He was chairman of the money Health Reports declares. This law investigating committee. Much spec-

WACO MORNING NEWS (Kansas Laws, 1912, chapter 187) re- ulation has been indulged in concernquires that before any manufacturer, ing the attitude of the conferees retions, opium, belladonna, nux vomica, Representative A. O. Stanley of Ken- Effort to Oust Drake, Duncan and pilocarpus, santonin, areca nut, worm- tucky, who was chairman of the 'Steel

livering the paper to anyone who does not pay in accordance with the above subscription terms. These carriers are all earnest, hardworking young men and they will appreciate any courtesy shown they will appreciate any courtesy shown them. The Morning News should be delivered throughout the City of Waco by 6:50 a. m. and subscribers failing to receive the paper at this time will confer a favor by phoning the circulation department, both phones 1132, and a copy will be sent by special messenger.

Following are the traveling agents of the Mess who are authorized to solicit and receipt for subscriptions, advertising, etc.; W. V. Lewis, F. E. Long. cording to the manner required in the mess-the antis must make an home-

#### Death, Where Is Thy Sting?

The great composer (Verdi) loved and Commenting on a Washington dis-patch, Mobile Item has it that with

Somehow this information renders gress, jockeying for position has be. less poignant our grief that the music gun between factions of the house Master died with several to-be-grand dare to omit the palliating adjective. operas yet uncompleted. Think of And Mr. Taft is hardly of a build to Both schemes involve annual appro- Caruso "doing" the soliloquy in Ital- dodge an audience of some 1100 peeved

#### THE "ANTI.TRUST" PROGRAM.

of the administration's program of Howe?-occupied the sent of governlegislation to regulate trusts concerns ment in that conservative colony. "the first in a series of important conferences for shaping the legislation, held in Washington. Those who at- Editor Hamilton Record Speaks of the tended were Mr. Davies, Representative Henry D. Clayton, chairman of the house committee on judiciary, Representative Robert L. Henry, that city in operation of \$3,000,000; the second the conference are willing to disclose and tissue of the new city.

The committee on roads will give a the conference, but he will take the hearing on these bills and friends of liberty to reject any of the suggestions tion of her growth; the hardihood end each hope to agree on a measure that can be put through the house at an the details of the program may be regarded as settled until they receive aside all differences, prejudices and his approval, says the Herald. As soon as the proposed legislation has as-In the early days of courts in the western territories, many amusing and often ludicrous occurrences relieved the dull dry-andust cases that are inevitable in the law at its best.—The Green Bag.

In these latter days, in some courts

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sum days of the old Jericho that has hindered the onward march of progress in Waco for many years. It is fitting here to include the many days are an expensive to the proper January, but there is also a possibilpeople across the waters of petty
ity that it will be deferred if the curdissensions into the greater light of Duncan and Drake, and this opinion rency bill is unduly delayed. The very near being a routine breach of president's intention now is to delay the anti-trust message until after the currency bill is out of the way, or, at "The conferees discussed the pro-

president's declaration that the Sherbooks. One of the bills under const. comment on the testimony as each answer drops from the lips of witness. After all, what are ethics when compared with results?

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Austin. Dec. 17.—Recent floods have caused considerable damage to oyster beds according to the game, fish and oyster department. Every mail has been bringing reports of the damage but until later it will be impossible to estimate the loss.

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jobber or other person shall sell or garding the 'commercial directory' of Published every morning by News Pub- distribute in the State of Kansas any corporations proposed by Representa. Office of publication 114, 116 and 118 tificate stating "the English name of would enable corporations complying each ingredient used in the manufacture. each ingredient used in the manufac. with the anti-trust laws to register COTTON PALACE DIRECTORS ARE MEMBER OF ASSOCIATED PRESS ture of reemdy registered;" and it is with the secretary of commerce and further provided that when any of the obtain a 'certificate of character.' Ansubstances, "to-wit; mineral acids, the other proposal which Mr. Untermyer substances, "to-wit: mineral acids, the other proposal which Mr. Untermyer following elements or their saits, copulation & Randall, 45 West Thirty fourth street. New York City.

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carry the scar in his back. Such knife thrusts never heal.

#### Teasing a Hive.

What the former president did say was not boys are delightfully foolish sort of that boys are delightfully foolish humans.—Springfield Republican.

Even a former president would not bees. Massachusetts lads have the reputation of being able to start something and get away with it, a reputation that has endured since the days New York Herald's latest summary when General Gage-or was it Lord

#### WACO AND RIGGINS.

## Recent Banquet.

(Hamilton Record.) Waco's greatest event from many in building and maintaining roads.

Secretary of Agriculture Houston is rules; Louis D. Brandels of Boston, The Record editor received with single roads. and Samuel Untermyer of New York. cerest appreciation of the honor an invitation to be present at this bantained in a bill introduced in the have charge of the anti-trust legisla- inclement weather prevented us from Byrnes, of South Carolina, who protion in the house. Mr. Henry is the booming one of the number who gathered on that memorable occosion, not amendment to the Sherman anti-trust spirit that conceived and put into execution the big thought of constructing roads. His proposition involves the expenditure by the government for the first year the proposed law would be the administration on the subject of trusts. None of those who attended in which the old town will be swallowed up and become the blood bone. \$12,000,000. Federal aid would be ex. reached. It is stated, however, that became bigger than himself; was the ratios of population, area and amount introduced in the house this week." important anti-trust bills will be laudatory expression of a people in recognition of that spirit of unselfish devotion to the interests of his President Wilson had cognizance of city; the great wisdom to look into the The people of Waco dissensions into the greater light of community interests, and the expression of this feeling of gratitude to the great benefactor, J. W. Riggins. Waco will grow into the city of the greams of Riggins. McCollum the late Waco will grow into the city of the dreams of Riggins, McCollum, the late Waller S. Baker and others. The community spirit that broods over Waco will direct a progress that means the building of a city of vast means the building of a city of vast whose measurements will liked Allan D. Sanford was elected and to

Floods Damage Oyster Beds.



Texas Cotton

# AGAIN IN OFFICE

ALL RE-ELECTED BY AC-CLAMATION.

#### HOPES OF OPPOSITION BLASTED

Forman Fails-Stockholders in Session Last Night.

Immediately there was a movement



W. W. CAMERON. Re-elected a director Texas Cotton

among the stockholders to see that a better representation of stock would be at the meeting last night, and those who were in favor of the old board of directors being retained, began hunting proxies. It was not the work of an hour or two hours. It was an allviewpoints was the banquet given in day matter to seek out stockholders of that city last Tuesday evening in honone, two and three shares. The slogan was, "Elect the old board." hotel. this slogan proxies were readily forthcoming

Asher Sanger Not an Issue.



W. B. ABERNETHY. Re-elected a director Texas Cotton

posed legislation on the basis of the magnitude whose measurements will be beyond human computation.

When the movement had crystal-blow. The town was knocked out lized, Allan D. Sanford was elected and took the count for fifteen years. spokesman for those who wanted to put the old board again in office, and movements about when he had made his speech, there Austin, Dec. 17.—Recent floods have was not a dissenting voice to the that Dan aused considerable damage to oysthe that Daniel Webster, speaking of Al-



Re-elected a director Text ASHER SANGER. Re-elected a director Texas Cotton

## FOR THESE THE SLATE WAS BROKEN



T. P. DUNCAN

selected in his place some one espe-cially fitted for the work that is to be leaving it to the bard of dire ors of select the man who is to take

Office Should Be Honorary. There has been some suggestion in the gossip on the street looking to the election of a president-manager on a salary, but there has been opposition developed to this, especially among the

position of president should be purely an honorary one, and that Secretary S. N. Mayfield, who has been active in

the work of management, should by

continued in his present position. It is understood that the policy of the

board which has just been re-elected will be to do this.

\$58,000 Represented. The meeting was called to

W. J. NEALE.

after the passage of Mr. Sanger's mo-

Sanford's Naminating Speech.

Allan D. Sanford, taking the floor

"In rising to nominate a group of men as directors of the Cotton Pai-

ace, I feel it proper to say a word of commendation in their behalf.

"The reaction from the boom of the te '80s gave Waco a solar plexus

"Four or five years ago there were

indicated returning life. It is recorded

tee be annulled.

o o'clock by President W. H. Hoff-Counting the stock represented

majority of stock was present,

the place made vacant.



H. S. FORMAN.



E. F. DRAKE.

RE-ELECTED DIRECTORS TEXAS COTTON PALACE.



I FRIEDLANDER.

Re-elected a director Texas Cotton As soon as the fact was announced Palace.

> "In Waco there has been a phenomenon as marvelous. The city's dead spirit was touched, and it sprang to life. The men who gave the magic fire were those who constituted the board of directors of the first Cotton Palace in 1910. Palace in 1910.

From the dark clouds which overhung they drew the living fire which brought the city to life. And the ought the Business league has created a machine that transmits ity's voice to the broadest confines of the United States.

"The same board which took the management of the Cotton Palace in 1910 has continued till now, with a record unequalled . At the close of the exposition of 1910, the Cotton Palace was \$25,000 in debt. By the efforts of Allemania, were seized by customs inthis same board of directors, animated spectors here this afternoon.

The Allemania reached New York Monday from Haytien and Committee in the committee of the by year. Now, as they turn it over to ports and the ammunition was found the stockholders after the fourth exposition, there is \$6,000 in the treasury and the outstanding debts are less chain be removed. than \$3,000.

Its History Phonomenal. The history of this exposition is bu Re-elected a director Texas Cotton

Paiace.

It is assets that would be a credit to such an institution in a city of 75,000 people. With such a record looking them in the face, the chain, but none had, exploded, such a record looking them in the face, the chain, but none had, exploded, such a record looking them in the face, the people of waco would be guilty of basest ingratitude did they not offer the present directors another term of add seven names to the list, and make twenty from which the board of thirteen should be selected the computer.

Trise, therefore, to put in nominations.

Editor is Acquitted.

twenty from which the board of thirteen should be selected, the committee tion the names of T. P. Duncan, W. W. still left off three of the old directors. Pryor, W. H. Hoffmann, E. F. Drake, In defense of this action of the com- L. Migel, C. H. Cos, W. J. Neale, W. mittee, which, he said, had aroused W. Cameron, I. Friedlander, Arper criticism, Mr. Sanger stated that there Sanger, W. T. Herrick, H. S. Forman was no ax to grind, and no personal and W. T. Abernathy. I move that feeling in the matter. The nominating they be elected by acclamation." committee, he said, was working sole-When President Hoffmann put the

ly for the good of the organization.

Concluding, Mr. Sanger moved that this action of the nominating committee.

Neale Speaks for Directors. Before the meeting adjourned, W. J.

Neale spoke briefly in behalf of the Affairs Dr. Jose L. Andara resigned board of directors. The action of the today, according to dispatches from nominating committee on the previous Caracas.

night was misunderstood, said Mr. President Gomez of Venezuela w Neale, He accepted Mr. Sanger's state-his army, was yesterday in Maracay ment that there was no ax to grind



CLARENCE H. COX. Re-elected a director Texas Cotton

Charles Sanger rose to a point of per-sonal privilege. Mr. Sanger was chair-man of the committee which on the and no personal feeling. His reason tor taking sides with those who wished to uphold the present directory was The Board of 1910. that the present directors are familiar

opposed their election, and expressed and the institution there might now

#### The meeting then adjourned. Cartridges Found on Ship.

New York, Dec. 17 .- Ten thousand a rounds of revolver cartridges, hidden under an anchor chain of the steamer

The inspectors believe the cartridges were taken on here for use in Hayti, but that the persons who placed them phenomenal. There are buildings and on the ship were unable to get at them real estate in its assets that would be when Hayti was reached. The cart-

Taylorsville, Ill., Dec. 17.—Pay D. Slate, editor of the Mount Auburn, lis.,

Tribune, today was acquitted of the murder of Dr. Bennet: Windsor, mayor of Auburn, whom Slate shot on May Slate pleaded self-defense

Venezuela Secretary State Resigna Willemstadt Curacan Dec 17 - Ven-



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GET A BOTTLE TODAY

## TO ANCHOR HOUSES

YOUNGBLOOD HAS INEXPENSIVE METHOD OF DECREASING FLOOD LOSSES.

Principal Damage in Brazos Bottoms Was the Washing Away of Buildinge.

College Station, Dec. 17.-Plans and blue prints showing houses may be instructed that will stand the flercest overflows and thus eliminate a large part of the loss which results from overflows along the Brazos and other

overflows along the Brazos and other Texas rivers are being prepared by its. Texas experiment stations and will be ready for distribution among bottom farmers within a few days.

According to the plans as suggested by B. Youngblood, directors of experiment stations and delineated by Prof. A. Mitchell of the college drawing department, the houses in the overflow regions will be anchored.

According to Mr. Youngblood this

According to Mr. Youngblood this not only a highly efficient means preventing destruction of buildings y high water but is inexpensive. The by high water but is inexpensive The chief loss along the Brazos from Waco to the gulf in this recent overflow was occasioned by houses being washed away. Mr. Youngblood says that loss can be entirely eliminated.

Houses for servants, barns and otherwise the servants of the servants of the servants.

r cheaper structures may be anchored by means of logs. Two logs are buried about five feet under ground at buried about five feet under ground at right angles. Big anchor rods are run through the siles, by the sleepers and floor joists and fastened into atringers across the floor joists. The construction used for two story houses and residences is reinforced concrete foundation with anchor rods fastened to railroad rails buried in the conference of the students from the United States and Canada and the second honors in the individual contest reposed with him when it was all over. Reed made a score of \$19 points out of the conference of the students from the United States and Canada and the second honors in the individual contest reposed with him when it was all over.

main station began an investigation soon after the river overflowed the ottoms near here and information bottoms near here and information gained at that time in conjunction with that gained from five years' study of farm management and farm buildings has been used in the preparation of these buildings. In addition to the plans for anchoring houses Mr. Youngblood is preparing three builetins on farm buildings and soon two other builetins will be in soon two other bulletins will be is-sued on farm reorganization.

oblige was the first speaker. The Farm reorganization. Farm reorganization of the Brance arms also will play an important part a bulletin which Mr. Youngslood open to place in the hands of the lantation owners within a few days the team that was in a measure water by the farms may be reasonable for their victory over boys to be full the which and the words and the main state of the full the manner and the first speaker. The program was arranged with words at the lattle banks are ago of vagrancy and fined \$200, will win the Contest or lust." It was this spirit on the part to program was arranged with words as a to complete the sent the contest or lust." It was this spirit on the part to program that was in a measure whereby the farms may be responsible for their victory over boys the farms as way that floods of the full the program was arranged with words and the composition of the farms of the full the part of the full Farm reorganization of the Brazos an acrostic so as to complete the sen-farms also will play an important part in a bulletin which Mr. Youngblood the Bust." It was this spirit on the part plantation owners within a few days. He believes that he has hit upon a system whereby the farms may be reorganized in such a way that floods of the future will not rob the farmer of the savings of a life time. Prof.

A. H. Leidigh, soil expert at the main station, is now engaged in making a soil survey of the bottom lands and will recommend a cropping system for D. W. Scott of McKinney, a junior will recommend a cropping system for rebuilding that land and increasing the crop productiveness.

T think that it is as much with the class of the future that

rebuilding that land and increasing the crop productiveness.

"I think that it is as much within the scope of experiment workers to render emergency assistance as to conduct systematic investigation," said Mr. Youngblood in discussing the preparation of these bulletins. "With that end in view we are striving to be of assistance to the men who lost thousands of dollars in the recent floods."

STOCK LAW CARRIES.

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BY In Favor of Enactment at Marlin, Dec. 17.—The stock law election, held in precinct one of Falls county yesterday, resulted in a victory for those favoring the enactment of the law.

The vote stood 125 to 75 in favor of putting up the cows. Opposition developed late in the fight and those interested in the election became uncasy.

In the Eureka box no election was held. One Simmons opened the polis.

The final speech of the future that his class faced. A. A. Lenert had the word. "Will," and he spoke of the future that his class faced. A. A. Lenert had the word. "Will," and he spoke of the future that his class faced. A. A. Lenert had the word. "Will," and he spoke of the future that his class faced. A. A. Lenert had the word. "Will," and he spoke of the future that his class faced. A. A. Lenert had the word. "Will," and he spoke of the future that his class faced. A. A. Lenert had the word. "Will," and he spoke of the future that his class faced. A. A. Lenert had the word. "Will," and he spoke of the future that his class faced. A. A. Lenert had the word. "Will," and he spoke of the future that his class faced. A. A. Lenert had the word. "Will," and he spoke of the future that his class faced. A. A. Lenert had the word. "Will," and he spoke of the toal the word. "Will," and he spoke of the toal the word. "Will," and he spoke of the toal had he word. "Will," and he spoke of the toal how the team of which he was a member of the same her captured the prize at the Fort word. "Will," and he spoke of the toal how the team of the word. "The Contest," and he told of how "I think that it is as much with- his class faced.

# In the Eureka box no election was held. Gus Simmons opened the polls but no one came to vote or assist him in holding the election. BABY'S FACE ONE SORE WITH ECZEMA Cried for Hours, Could Not Sleep. Basinel Brought Rost and Cure.

Cried for Hours, Could Not Sleep.
Recincil Brought Root and Cure.
Recincil Par.—"My beby girl had crown for over six months. It was painful and itching, she could not sleep day or night, she would ceratch till blond and water would run down her neck. Then it burned her each other free was one sore and each.

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## BANQUET TO VICTORS IN THE HIGHER COURTS

A. 4 M. STUDENTS HONOR LIVE- COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS STOCK JUDGING TEAM, WIN- AFFIRMS SEVERAL CASES AFFIRMS SEVERAL CASES FROM DALLAS COUNTY. NERS AT CHICAGO.

President Puryear Makes Address-Is Frank Clemmon's Five-year Sentence First Time Southern College for Robbery Stands-Will Floyd's Contention Not Sustained.

College Station, Tex., Dec. 17 .- Five Austin, Dec. 17 .- The court of criminal tudents of the Texas Agricultural and appeals today affirmed several cases from Dallas county. Mechanical college, picked by twelve The court affirmed the case of Frank experienced feeders and breeders as Clemmons, given five years on conviction the best students' livestock judging team in the United States or Canada, diamond ring valued at \$300. for robbery, the article stolen being a

students and enthusiastic professors.

were banqueted here tonight by happy The case of Aaron Leach was affirmed because there was no statement of facts. The five boys who defeated all com-He was given two years on conviction ers from the United States and Canfor burglary. ada at the international livestock ex-

Sarah Collins' case was affirmed, appellant having been convicted of keeping a disorderly house, the penalty being a

ada at the international livestock exposition at Chicago last month were to have received a hearty reception when they came home. As the college yell leader said, they were to "have some fuss made over them."

But in the meantime came the floods which delayed traffic on all railroads and it was impossible for the team to give any definite assurances as to when they would arrive. They came in groups of one and two boys and not together, as they at first planned.

But tonight students and teachers alike paid homage to the boys who accomplished what was thought the impossible, and for the first time in the history of the exposition captured the championship for a southern college. \$200 fine and twenty days in jail.

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The honors for the past few years at Chicago have gone to Canadian schools. Purdue, Missouri university and once to Ohio, but none of the southern institutions have ever been up in "G" in the matter of honors.

Last year Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college ranked sixth and led all southern schools and this year when William Reed of Sterling City, J. K. G. Fisher of Fort Worth, E. Gibbens of Kerryille, F. W. Hoepfner of Houston and T. R. Broun of Greenwood left for Chicago, under the chaper of animal husbandry, they looked determined.

Others Picked to Win.

Before the contest began Ames. lows, Colorado and Nebraska were variously picked to win and the dopesters up and when the twelve the dependence of the function of a preliant was given a life term in the penality was convention for murder. The coner difficult on the sustain the contention of appellant was given the time term in the penality as the contention of appellant was given the term in the contention of appellant was conviction for murder. The coner deliver murder of facts, the court could not review the claims made for a reversal. Three murder cases involving one death penality and two life imprisonment were of Walter Moore and Policeman Oglowical was penality reversed and will hang unless penality reversed and will hang unless

of Hunt, given twenty years for rape of land above fifth. But when the Texas boys entered the arena they showed the dopesters up and when the twelve judges, all practical stockmen, submitted their final reports Texas boys had a lead over their nearest competitions, Missouri university, of 155 points, and that wasn't all. William Reed, who halls from Sterling City, used his weather eye when looking over the entries and he used it so well that the judges gave him the first prize in the individual class.

And still that wasn't all. There was a still that wasn't all there are seen a steer until he entered the transport of the students from the mainder of the students from the United States and Canada and the second honors in the individual contest reposed with him when it was all over. Head made a score of \$15 points out of a possible 1,000; Hoepfner 758, Gibbens ranked eighth with 122 points, and Fisher fourteenth with 712 points. Prof. E. J. Kyle, dean of the school of agriculture, acted as toastmaster at the banquest tonight. The spread was given at a campus hotel and fifty plates were laid, being reserved for representatives of various classes and student organizations and prominent faculty members.

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Tarrant.

Motion to Vacate Order Dismissing
Writ of Error, etc., Submitted—William
M. Rice Institute va. Joseph Freeman,
from Jasper.

Court of Criminal Appeals.

Austin. Dec. 17.—The following proceedings were had in the court of criminal appeals today:

Affirmed—Grover Easery, Bexar; F. C. Flores, Bexar; Frank Clemmons, Will Floyd, Aaron Leach, Charlie Allen and Sarah Collins, Dallas; B. F. Byrd (two cases), Delta; Domingo Cravario, Fayette; John Dosh, Grayson; Ella Dean, Gregg; P. H. Noian, Hardin; R. H. Darnell, Haskell; Wylle D. Cooper, Hunt; Sam Mayes, McCulloch; Eugene Cooper, McLennan; Dorsey Hardy, San Augustine; Frank Böyette, Smith; Thomas Lee (death), Tarrant; A. B. Boyd, Upshur, Reversed and remanded—E. F. Brown, from Bastrop; Nauro Gusman, from Hell; William Lingenfeiter, from McLennan.

Lennan.
Appeal Dismissed—Walt Young from

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Motion for rehearing overruled—Jim Dawson, from Wichita; Will Hendricks from Harris.

Submitted on brief and oral agrument for both—T. R. T. Orth from Wichita; Bradley and Robert Cook from Montague; Frank Turner and Tom Qualb, from Coryell; Jim Corbette and Boyd Muldrew, from Milam; Mose Robbins, from Galveston; John Humphrey, from Rusk; ex parte P. H. Geraughty, from Navarro.

Every member of the team respond-ed with a short talk.

Bridge Timbers Unleaded.

Marlin, Dec. 17.—Work would have been in progress today on rebuilding the bridge over Big creek on the Odde road but for the rain of yesterday. Three big loads of bridge site on Tuesday morning and a force of workmen were present and ready to start the construction work. It is very probable that the work was started this afternoon.

Rusk; ex parte P. H. Geraughty, from Navarro.
On brief for the state—Lizzie Hart. Rose Humphries, A. Humphries, Infl. Towery, George Bacon and John Newsome, from Wichita; W. T. King, from Howard; Frank White, from Angelina; Haywood Miles, from Rockwall; Ed Daniels, from Jefferson; Tennie Vernon, from Montague; Ross Cruise, from Lamar; Jack Mayes, from Dallas; D. M. Blalock, from Montague; ex parte A. Eldridge, from Tarrant; Gertrude Gordon, from Palo Pinto; ex parte Elmer Reeds, Kaufman.
On brief for appellant—Frank Martin

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This bridge was washed away during the recent overflow of Big creek.

Big Creek Out of Banks.

Marlin, Dec. 17.—Some appreismsion was felt yesterday afternoon and last night less another overflow would occur. Big creek was sout of its banks in the low land districts and the Reagan turnpike was flooded for a considerable ways.

The water has gone down this morning and with the rain stopped there is no danger of demage being done by high waters. The water had only come out in the low places.

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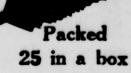
don, from Palo Pinto; ex parte Elmer Reeds, Kaufman.

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On brief for appellant—Frank Martin from Wise.

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son, Travis; Whittlesey and Rob Dicker-son, from Sabine; C. B. Scott from Reeves; Bill Green from Knox. Cases set for January 14.—Frank Ross, Montague; Paul Walker, Shackelford.

Austin, Dec. 17.—The following pro-ceedings were had today in the court of civil appeals, Third Supreme judi-cial district:

cial district:

Affirmed—Houston Belt & Terminal Railway company vs. C. H. Winerich, from Harris.

Reversed and remanded—C. N. Cantrell vs. John B. Cawyer et al. from McCulloch: Waco Cement Stone Works vs. N. K. Smith, from McLennan.

Rehearing refused—International & Great Northern Railway Co. vs. George E. Boles, from Milam.

Motions submitted: Jacob Shackle vs. C. E. Feets.

Banner vs. Lawrence Thomas, from Dallas.

Returned to Court of Civil Appeals to Find Conclusions of Fact—Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway company of Texas vs. P. C. Jackson, from Mc-Lennan.

Submitted—S. M. Yeamen et al vs. Galveston City company, from Galveston.

Bunner vs. Lawrence Thomas, from Ency.

Four of the deposed men have encounted an attorney and announced they will fight their removal on the ground that their resignations were exacted from them before the appointments were given.

CANNED TOMATO PULP SEIZED

## ECZEMA ON BABY'S HEAD AND FACE

In Pimples Like Blisters. Head Perfectly Raw. Hair All Gone. Burned and Itched. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

three weeks old took the eczema on the bred and face. It broke out in pimples and water would run from them. His mand his perfectly raw and his hair was all gone. Everybody said he would never have any more hair. As the sores spread his hair sores spread his hair the breakthem. His head was

ing out itched so badly that we had to keep keep him from erratching his head and face. It caused disfigurement. He couldn't rest at night it burned and itched so badly.

"He was treated for eight months and he Cuticura Soap and Ointment. We first washed the sores with the Cuticura Soap and covered them with the Cuticura Ointment mornings and at bedtime. We kept a thin cloth and cap on his head. In two months he was completely cured after using the Cuticura Soap and two hoges of Cuticura Ointment." (Signed) G. A. Dye, Jan. 7,

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## LINGENFELTER CASE CURRENCY VOTE SET FOR FRIDAY be taken until about January 10 or 12.

WACO MAN WILL GET A NEW TRIAL, ACCORDING TO THE COURT OF APPEALS.

Figured in Two Long Drawn Out Trials in County

Motion to Vacate Order Dismissing
Writ of Error, etc., Submitted—William
M. Rice Institute va. Joseph Freeman,
from Jasper.
Motion for Rehearing Submitted—Joseph Cochrane va. E. B. Wilson, from
Austin.

New Members of School Board.
Chicgo, Dec. 17.—New members of
the school board were appointed tonight by Mayor Carter H. Harrison to
night Austin.

Motion to Advance Submitted—Sam Stilles vs. Frank Hawkins, from Ellis.

Motion to Dismiss Submitted—Ben Banner vs. Lawrence Thomas, from Four of the deposed men have en-

200 Cases Said by Deputy U. S. Marshal McDonald at Beaumont to Be Adulterated.

Beaumont, Dec. 17 .- Acting upon information filed by United States Attorney J. W. Ownby, Deputy United States Marshal McDonald this afternoon seized 200 cases containing from \$10,000 to \$12,000 as provided in the Hitchcock amendment and that all the member banks must receive the shipped by a wholesale firm of Balti-

Dr. Bascom Lynn, resigned. given some time to consider the ap-given some time to consider the ap-pointment. The resignation of Dr. senate met a sume consideration tomorrow evening. pointment. The resignation of Lynn becomes effective January 1.

residence, 2015 Clay street. Funeral arrangements will be made today.

Senate. If the bill is agreed upon in conference and finally disposed of by the

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declared it would make it impossible for country banks of the west to meet an emergency; and that the mass of slx months' notes of farmers and stock

are simply creating a bank of big banks," declared Senator Crawford, "a bank to help big banks, but for By a vote of 28 to 31 the senator To

limitation against long term paper had been settled upon solely to assure the amendment to increase to 45 per cent federal reserve banks having paper the gold reserve against issues of the that would be "liquid" and quickly new federal reserve notes, convertible into cash in time of stress.

Revises Reserve Section.

The numerous attacks on the note assue provision and the reserve requirements of the bill by those who purpose the newly elected chairman of the newly elected chairman of the Democratic Association of New York.

the doors to inflation moved the democratic conference tonight to revise the reserve section. The required appointment of a plan and scope complete to the reserve behind the new circulating notes was increased from 35 per cent as provided in the Owen bill, to 40 per cent with a tax of 1 per cent on depletion of the reserve down to 32½ per cent. An attempt to fix an arbitrary limit on the amount of notes also will make an effort to win over arbitrary limit on the amount of notes to be issued failed.

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Other amendments adopted provided for the use of a part of the surplus earnings of the regional banks for building up the gold reserve, for an increase in the compensation of the members of the federal reserve board

The conference also decided to re-nodel section eight of the bill pro-iding for the entrance of state banks The goods are alleged to be adulterated in violation of the federal food and drugs act, paragraph 6, section 7, "in that the said tomatoes contained in said cans and cases consist in whole or in part of filthy, decomposed and putrid vegetable substance unfit for food."

The conference also decided to remodel section eight of the bill providing for the entrance of state banks and trust companies into the new system and voted in favor of a provision whereby regional banks would be required to keep a fund intact in the treasury to provide for the redemp-

Dallas Man Shoots Himself.
Dallas Dec. 17.—With a pistof lying nearby, the body of W. W. Pollock, 71 years of age, was found in his home on Cantegral street. One bullet had taken effect in the man's head. He had been dead only a short time when the body was found. Ill health is believed to have caused the act. He is survived by several sons prominent in Dallas business circles.

Dr. Joseph D. McKnight Appointed. Austin, Dec. 17.—Governor Colquitt today appointed Joseph D. McKnight of Brady, McCullough county, as superintendent of the State Tuberculesis sanitarium at Calsbad, to succeed

For Recess Over Christmas.

Deaths and Burials.

Mrs. A. F. Grayson Dead.

Mrs. A. F. Grayson, aged 65 years, mother of Mrs. H. M. Smith, died last disposition of the currency bill in the

Night Session.

At tonight's session Senator Borah of Idaho made a lengthy argument in support of an amendment which he had proposed to be made in the bill providing that the notes issued by the federal reserve banks be made legal tender.

six months' notes of farmers and stock raisers would be valuless in time of a panic because they could not be rediscounted.

"With this ninety days prevision you who wants to pay his debts as well as to the man who wants to pay his debts as well as to the man who wants to pay his debts as well as to the man who wants to gather in the great who wants to gather w

county, organized in opposition Tammany hall, announced today the

## IF BACKACHY OR KIDNEYS BOTHER

The conference adjourned when the senate met at 8 o'clock but will resume consideration of amendments them to normal activity, also to neu-

them to normal activity, also to neu-tralize the acids in urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot in-jure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to

# neys, they become overworked; get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy;



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#### At the Theatres.

(Criticisms of initial performances are written by the critic of the editorial staff of the Waco Morning News. All other matter in this column is furnished by the theatre management.)

Tom Lockridge, minors.

Application for letters in guardianship filed by John Robertson in the estate of George Wright, minor.

Gertrude Hoffmann.

Ching Ling Foo, who is appearing as a special added feature in Gertrude Hoffmann's new revue, is probably the greatest "magician" on the stage anywhere. He is making his first tour of America for twelve years and it probably will be the last, as the famous trickster is nearly 70 years old and is anyious to extite down. To years old and is anxious to settle down and look after his affairs in China. Ching Ling Foo stands alone in his class of "magical" work. Since he first came to this country he has many imitators but this country he has many imitators but none have ever been able quite to do his tricks. He brings great bowls of water and fire apparently out of space, starts a somersault empty-handed and winds it up with his arms full of a glass vessel of water, gotten from nowhere; pours flour into water and takes it out again perfectly dry, and does dozens of other mystifying feats. He is a very large man, with a quiet, humorous way of going about his work that catches the fancy of his audiences at once. His company is composed of artists almost as wonderful as he. One juggles a fifty-pound bowl on his forehead, another does apparently impossible feats on a horizontal bar, another is a contortionist of a new sort, his two little daughters do difficult feats of plate spinning and Miss Chee Toy, the daintiest little person that ever came out of China, sings American in the start in the soul of the said the start in the soul of the said the ever came out of China, sings American rag-time songs in quaint English and in Ching Ling Foo and his company will appear with Gertrude Hoffmann's revue at the Auditorium tonight.

Says Term Will Not Extend Through Trial-Leaves Bench in the Hobbs Case.

Vicksburg, Miss., Dec. 17 .- The maze of legal complications involved in the trial of G. A. Hobbs, state senator inodore Bilbo on the charge of soliciting appointed special judge by Governor Brewer, took the bench and announced that he was not legally qualified to serve as a successor to Judge Henry C. Mounger, who had recused himself. The trial went over until tomorrow.

The announcement was a surprise to the attorneys both for the prosecucourt room expecting the trial to pro-ceed. After expressing his opinion. Mr. Shands called on Judge Mounger to relieve him, descended from the bench and departed for his home in

Judge Mounger had recused himself because of his opinion that the trial would extend over his term as judge, which expires with the present month. The defense filed a bill of exceptions to the action of Judge Mounger and objected to Mr. Shands presiding. When Judge Mounger resumed the bench the prosecution announced its readiness, but J. W. Cassidy, for the defense, in view of the recusation, questioned the judge's right to proceed. Exception was taken.

Judge Mounger, however, received from the sheriff a report of service upon witnesses, ordered writs of at-tachment and \$100 fines for those absent and at a late hour adjourned

ourt until tomorrow. bench Mr. Shands said that it was his the right to recuse himself under the statutes which provide that a judge must be either incapacitated or incompetent and that Judge Mounger was neither. Holding this opinion.

The statute which provide that a judge must be either incapacitated or incompetent and that Judge Mounger was neither. Holding this opinion. opinion that a trial judge did not have was neither. Holding this opinion. Mr. Shands said the appointment of a special judge was illegal, therefore he was not legally qualified to serve.

Judge Mounger said that he had no other course to pursue than to continue the trial until the expiration of the trial until the expiration of the course who wished to take all the coal this conversion and permit a few his commission December 31. If the trial extends beyond that date, this contingency will be taken care of at If the for this generation and permit a few ite, this concerns to grab up all the mines and

contingency will be taken care of at minerals declared that conservationists were crazy. By this craft they had their wealth. statement tonight on the refusal of Mr. Shands to serve.

Marlin to Use Lake Water. Marlin, Dec. 17.—The city council this afternoon bought a new gasoline engine, which will be installed at the

cured at the new station.

The city lake was abandoned about year ago because of scarcity of wathe big lake and it is estimated now that there is a year's supply on hand. The water in the lake is softer than

Eleven-Year-Old Boy Dies.

Nolanville, Tex., Dec. 17.—David Ellis, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and generation the standpatters have Mrs. J. J. Ellis, prominent residents of this place, died very unexpectedly at the family residence here yesterday, and Cobden were the destroyers of English liberty. Jefferson was a levery with interment at McDowell cemetery.

Sought to have forward loking men declared fanatics and lunatics. Bright and Cobden were the destroyers of English liberty. Jefferson was a levery with interment at McDowell cemetery.

## IN THE LOCAL COURTS TINKER SALE NOT RECOGNIZED

IFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT. President Tener's Announcement of Contracts Contains No Richard I. Munroe, Judge. R. V. McClain, Clerk. Mention.

Bob Hemphill, pistol, pleaded guilty and was fined \$100.

A. C. Jackson, aggravated assault

Parker Goodall, using motorcycle.
M. B. Snow, aggravated assault and

A. O. Hightower, obstructing side-walk, appeal from Wast justice court.

Harvey M. Richey, Judge. Frank Rozelle, disturbing the peace,

Idella Thompson, vagrancy, \$14.55. Lon McMurray, an affray, \$13.55.

SUITS FILED.

Fifty-Fourth District Court.

E. H. Leashe vs. Helen S. Leashe,

Nineteenth District Court. Mrs. M. S. Matthews vs. J. C. Russell et al, partition.

Justice Richey's Court. Frank Hassell vs. John Elatlard,

Justice Padgett's Court. Congregation Agudath Jacob vs. J Englander, forcible detainer.

Sanger Bros. vs. J. G. Estorga, ac

Frank McNeese vs. Mrs. R. W. Barnes, forcible detainer.

J. A. Freeman vs. J. D. Costillo,

Marriage Licenses.
L. D. Smith and Miss Mamie How-

W. A. Little and Miss Mary Hay-

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that we are turning away from those

rebates, etc.
"Take the tariff. The men who re-

vised it were not hysterical. They used figures and facts. They were pains-taking and scientific and what was

tection, the infant industries, gray and hoary with age, and obese from their

long pull at the pap bottle, cried out, 'You are going to impoverish our country.' Four months under the new tariff have passed and the report of Secretary of Commerce Redfield declares that 'the flooding of our markets with the cheen was a commerce.

kets with the cheap ware of Europe has not happened' as predicted and

America's foreign trade is evidencing

a healthy growth.
"The latest exhibition of hysteria is

the effort to prevent passage of the

become a law substantially as now framed and the principal features are

everybody that this bill is certain to

currency bill.

The beneficiaries of pro

Fred Rios, vagrancy, appeal.

were dismissed:

and battery.

New York, Dec. 17.—Cincinnati's sale of Joe Tinker, Cincinnati's ex-manager, to Brooklyn, has not yet been officially recognized by the National league. President John K. Tener's announcement to day of the latest contracts and the releases contains no mention of the \$25,000 deal between Herrmann and Ebbetts, although the Pittsburg-St. Louis and New York-Cincinnati trades that helped to furnish a sensation at the league's annual meeting last week, were all approved. the verdict in the Harwick vs. Har-wick divorce case argued before the

George N. Denton, Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.
In the case of Ray & Ray vs. W. R. Saunders et al, verdict for \$66 in favor of plaintiff.
Suit of John Sykora vs. Joseph Hrabel, dismissed.
Bob Hemphill, pistol, pleaded guilty and was fined \$100.

## The following criminal complaints OfLAY

Will Terry, operating place of amusement on Sunday. Karl Fricke, aggravated assault and But One Bid Is Made for Constructing, and It is Above Limit.

> Marlin, Dec. 17.—Tuesday of this week was the day on which bids were to be canvassed by the treasury de-partment for the construction of the

George N. Denton, Judge.

J. W. Baker Clerk.

Application in guardianship filed by Elma Wallace in the estate of Rosa Lee Lockridge, Coeper Lockridge and Tom Lockridge, minors.

Application for letters in guardianship filed by John Robertson in the estate of George Wright, minor.

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When the destination of the postoffice construction was postponed.

This is the second time the award of the Marlin postoffice building has gone by default and it looks very much like the delay in starting work will be indefinite. The bid submitted this time was by Frank Lalling & Sons of Kansas City at \$48,832. The material named was limestone.

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Some months ago the department considered bid on the postoffice building for Marlin and then only one bid was received and it was in excess of the appropriation by several thousand dollars. The plans were revised and a considerable cut made in the construction cost, but the price is too high and there is only one bidder which does not justify the department in making the award even if the price was within reach of the appro-

In the meantime the architects are cutting out the ornamentations and some of the essentials in an effort to reduce the cost to within reach of the

#### NEW LAWS IN NEW YORK STATE

Governor Glynn Signs Last of Recent Enactments, Workmen's Compensation Act.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 17.—All of the bills passed at the recent session of the legislature now are laws. The governor signed the last of them, the Charlie Carle and Mrs. Mollie Man-JUDGE CLAIMS NOT QUALIFIED

Charlie Carle and Mrs. Mollie Manworkmen's compensation bill, tonight.

T. Weller Nethery and Miss Virginia
Lee Sugg.

Robert Owen Silvers and Miss Charlotte Naman.

Willie Robinson and Fannie Moore.

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Willie Robinson and Fannie Moore.

W. L. Spencer and Mrs. L. E.

The governor also signed a bill providing for representation of the state at the Panama-Pacific exposition. A SAYS REFORM IS NOT HYSTERIA Siec,000 appropriation went with this With the exception of the workmen's compensation bill, which will be in force after January 1, all of the laws became effective immediately

Powers Arraigned for Seduction and accepting bribes, were further en-tangled late today when A. W. Shands we have come to our present high es-"Legislators in the recent past have Western Fuel company directors and

been the favorites of great corporations. They have felt a compelling
power from 'higher up.' The impersonal element in the situation made it
hard to cure, but at last the ax has
been laid at the root of the tree and
the people have demanded that all this
must be changed. How? By legalized primaries, even for president.

Western Fuel company directors and
officers, was arraigned in police court
today on a charge of seduction proffered by a 29-year-old girl.

He pleaded not guilty and asked an
immediate trial, but the district attormer's office confessed unfamiliarity
with the case and a continuance was
granted.

By legal-esident; by The Western Fuel trial was resumed

Maxdale, Tex. Dec. 17.—Fifty-four bales of cotton were recovered here from the Colorado river and carried to

picked over and rebaled. The bales are part of a seventy-five bale lot owned by Stokes Bros., of Lampasas, which was carried off when the river overflowed a cotton yard at that place during the recent floods. The owners sent warnings down the river to look out for the cotton with the result that two-thirds of the lot was caught near here. The damage to the cotton by water will reach

W. A. Cain Building Home M. A. Cain Building Home.

Marlin, Dec. 17.—A force of workmen this afternoon began the erection of a pretty home on Chambers
street for W. A. Cain. The house will
be erected on the lot adjoining the
McKinney new home on that street. These handsome residences will add much to the appearance of that por-

Hotels for Copperss Cove.
Copperss Cove. Tex., Dec. 17.—As a
result of several transactions occurresult of several transactions occurring recently this place will hereafter be well provided with good hotels.

Mrs. J. P. Simpson, Sr., has purchased the two-story rock Teinert building, which has been converted into a first-class hotel and same has opened for business.

The Goodson hotel has been leased for the period of one year to George Middick of San Saba, who will assume charme of same on January 1. had their wealth.

"Those who wished to impose imperialism upon our country, forgetting that government by consent of the governed is the basis of our liberty; those who wished to annex lands across the seas and change our government to one-half free and one-half colonial were as logically certain to be eventually reversed as were those

Many Road Bond Elections.

McKinney, Tex., Dec. 17.—Following the adoption of a good roads bond issue here yesterday, it was reported today Plano, Farmersville, Melassa. colonial were as logically certain to be eventually reversed as were those who held out for slavery in the face of Lincoln's prophesy that this country could not exist half free and half slave. They are the hysterics. They have gone around as though booted and spurred to ride other men and some of them have applauded at public dinners the song. Damn, damn, damn the Philippines.

"This so-called hysteria denounced by so-called standpatters is democracy, the rule of the people, Every today Plano, Farmersville, Melassa and Anna and the Celina district would call elections to vote on good roads

\$25 for Fleed Relief Fund.

A \$25 donation to the flood relief fund was received yesterday by Mayor J. H. Mackey from Mrs. Geo. E. Cannon of Los Angeles. Mrs. Cannon was formerly a resident of this city.



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\$22.50; pay only \$1.00 per week

No initial outlay except for the amount of records taken.

#### Club Offer No. 3

Victrola VII with ten double face records-20 selections of the latest list.

\$47.50; pay only \$1.50 per week

With the exception of the records, no cash payment is required.



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Victrola IX with 10 double face records.

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must be changed. How? By legalized primaries, even for president; by pure food laws, by an income law, by a lower tariff, by laws to protect seamen, by regulation of trusts, by abolition of interlocking directorates and rebates, etc.

New York, Dec. 17.—Wm. F. Me
Combs, chairman of the democratic national committee, gave his reasons the connection of the several defend
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"The post entails the expenditure of about \$150,000 a year," he said. "It pays \$17,500. I cannot afford to ac-

money."
Mr. McCombs testified today as an expert in a suit brought by Judge La-fetra against the city to recover \$10,-000 fees for services in revising the building code. He said he expected to go to Washington tomorrow to attend the dinner to be given by President Wilson to the diplomatic corps.

Roosevelt at Rie Janeiro

Rio Janeiro, Dec. 17.—Theodore Roosevelt and party on their arrival ple. The president of the municipality greeted Colonel Roosevelt, expressing to him the satisfaction of the people of Corumba at the honor

a hune in a nearby jungle. The col-onel has been obliged to abandon his proposed visit to Cuyaba but has ac-cepted an invitation to join in a jaguar and wild boar hunt, for which preparations had been made. The president of Matto Grosso will join Colonel Roosevelt on December 21.

Prior to his departure for San Luis Caceres, the ex-president will make an inspection of the various industries and then will set out on his journey into the interior.

the Eighth infantry to proceed to join the Eighth infantry to proceed to the Philippines after January 23.

His detail is changed over a protest by Col. Townsend, superintendent of the military academy, because he has not served with his regiment in

Believed Mona Lisa Would Have Been Found Earlier.

bery by Jean Juiffrey, new curator of lated the law the magistrate the museum of fine arts. Boston,
Mass., and conservator of the Louvre.
Mr. Juiffrey at the time wrote, giving reasons why the picture must have ing reasons why the picture must have been stolen by one of the men em-ployed in the framing of pictures at

National museum, Eugene Pugalet, was impressed by Mr. Juiffrey's reasoning and informed the police. The director said today that if the clue had been adequately followed the "Mona Lisa" would have been discovered long ago.

No Pregress in Home Rule.

London, Dec. 17.—Sir Edward Grey, foreign secretary, addressing his constituents in Northumberland today, acknowledged that no progress had been made yet in the direction of achieving a settlement of the home rule question by consent.

The government he said actuated

discussing terms, the opposition persisted in staying outside and shouting through the window. Still the door would continue to be open and it would not be the fault of the liberal party if a peaceful settlement was not reached.

Over \$7,000,000 Leave America.

New York, Dec. 17.—The last of the Christmas mails for foreign lands left. New York today. All told, foreigners in New York sent 296,898 money orders. aggregating \$7,775,000, to the folks at home. folks at home. This is an increase of 68,000 orders

major Slaydon to Philippines.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Major Fred
W. Slayden, commandant of cadets at
West Point, has been ordered to join the Eighth infantry to proceed to the

His detail is changed over a protest by Col. Townsend, superintendent of the military academy, because he has not served with his regiment in six years.

Thin lee Claims 3 Victims.

Ware, Mass., Dec. 17.—Thin ice claimed three little boys as victims today. Joseph and Roland Herbert and Albert Bratonier, aged 10, 8 and 3 years, were drowned in the Ware river, while on their way to school.

The ice, which would have supported them one at a time, broke when the three tried to cross together.

Harvard Gives to Students.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 17.—Ninety-two thousand dollars is given or loaned annually by Harvard college to needy students, according to figures published by the college authorities today. Most of this sum is given outright in the form of scholarships, but a certain part of it is loaned. In some cases the time of repaying the loans is stipulated and in other cases it is indefinite. Students from twenty-nine states share in the distribution of the money this year. There are available to undergraduates 265 scholarships carrying financial assistance.

TOO MUCH LIGHT.

Arrested for Showing Lamps with

New York, Dec. 17 .- Many motorists provide their cars with lights, but the first penalty for carrying too much light was imposed by a police magis-

method of timing motorists from a station post by stop-watch and found it inaccurate. By this method the po-liceman starts his watch when the car crosses the center line of the street corner a block away and stops it when the car passes the corner where the timer has his stand and from this data estimates the speed per mile.

After making the test the magistrate discharged an automobilist ar-

If the decision stands, the timing of automobilists suspected of speeding will be left to cycle officers who fol-low cars and take the speed from speedometers. Mirage at Littlefield.

Littlefield, Lamb County, Tex., Dec.

17.—A perfect mirage, one of those remarkable phenomena occasionally seen on the plains, was observed here early yesterday morning.

early yesterday morning.

The station, Amherst, located behind a hill eight miles northwest of
Littlefield, could be seen as plainly
as if it were adjoining this town. The as if it were adjoining this town. Income town of Olton, located twenty-five miles northeast and across the Sand Hills, could be seen also.

Windmills, fences, hills and objects miles distant ordinarily indistinguishable even with a strong glass, could be seen distinctive.

e seen distinctly.

Littlefield, Lamb County, Tex., Dec 17.—The schedule of the train operat ing over the new line of the Santa Fe railway from Lubbock to Texico was changed yesterday. Trains leave Lubbock Monday, Wed-

Trains leave Lubbock Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:05 p. m., instead of 10 o'clock a. m., as heretofore, reaching Littlefield at 2 p. m., and returning leave Texico at 6:30 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

The new schedule connects with regular passenger trains at Lubbock and

J. B. Low is Justice of Peace.

Reiton, Tex., Dec. 17.—The Bell county commissioners' court today appointed J. B. Love of Salado to be justice of the peace of precinct No. 2, Bell county, to fill the unexpired term of A. M. White, who resigned on account of change of residence to another county.

## APPROVES SCHOOL BOND ISSUE

have been fined here for falling to \$300,000 Five Per Cent Maturing in Forty Years With Twenty-

Austin, Tex. Dec. 17.—The attorney general's department today approved an issue of \$300,000 school bonds, ap-proval on which was withheld re-

Year Option.

In approving the bonds the department reconsidered its former action.

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Bill.

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36,506,000 Acres.

Acreage 1,139,000 na ...2,541,000

Philadelphia, Dec. 17.—A pardon for Frank W. McMahon, a saloon keeper, who was convicted of manslaughter

and sentenced to from seven to ten years on December 1, 1911, after a sensational trial, for the murder of

George Leary, was recommended by the state board of pardons today at

Harrisburg.

McMahon shot and killed Leary, a

wealthy real estate broker, who, it is explained, had been intimate with Mc-

George W. Cable's Sight Restored. Philadelphia, Dec. 17.—George W. Ca--

ble, the author, who came to this city

several weeks ago to undergo an operation on the eye, left the hospital to-day for his home at Northampton, Mass. It was said that Mr. Cable's sight has been completely restored.

TOTAL FROM RECENT FLOODS WILL APPROXIMATE \$1,627,000.

8990 of Amount Represents Losses Revenues-\$637,000 is Physical Damage.

Houston, Dec. 17 .- As a result of the recent floods in South and Central Texas, the railroads of these sections of the state will lose approximately \$1,627,000, of which amount \$990,000 represents loss in revenues and \$637,000 physical damage in washmisplaced and destroyed tracks, of bridges and damage to terminal property.

While on some roads the extent of the damage cannot yet be estimated and in no case are officials in position to give figures that they are willing to have shown as official, in practically all cases it is believed that the

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Mix one pint of warm water, and stir 2 minutes. Put 2½ ounces of Pinex (fifty ents' worth) in a pint bottle, and add he Sugar Syrup. This keeps perfectly and has a pleasant taste—children like t. Braces up the appetite and is lightly laxative, which helps end ough. The delate is to be resumed next wednesday, unless congress has adjourned for the Christmas holidays in the meantime, and the Democrats in charge of the bill expect a vote without delay. Representative Houston of Tennessee, chairman of the territories committee, and Representative Length the project to build breathing. He sent a messenger hurbried in the interior, while its opponents argued that the cost would be much greater than the territories committee had estimated and "the same was not worth the candle."

The delate is to be resumed next wednesday, unless congress has adjourned for the Christmas holidays in the meantime, and the Democrats in charge of the bill expect a vote without delay. Representative Houston of Tennessee, chairman of the territories committee, and Representative Length for his secretary and physician, but when they arrived the cardinal was dead.

The physician declared death was due to anxina pectoris. The cardinal's secretary performed the final rites of the church and then sent for the preliate's sister, Baroness Carolina Rampolla was the the cost would be committeed and "the same was not worth the candle."

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of pine in treating bronchial asthma, bronchitis, spasmodic croup and whooping cough. Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, rich in gualacol and other natural healing pine elements.

Other preparations will not work in the medical value of pine in treating bronchial asthma, bronchitis, spasmodic croup and whooping committee, and Representative Length for the death of the present pope.

Though able to identify the men at pope of the death of the present pope.

Though able to identify the men at pope of the time of their arrested for "trying to lure a young, innocent girl away from home" if return of money or jewels was demanded.

After Farris and his wife had listened to Mr. Miller's story they withdraw their plea of guilty and again pleaded not guilty.

Representative Lenroot declared that Alaska's present railroads were dom-

this combination The prompt results from this inexpenoive remedy have made friends for it in thousands of homes in the United States and Canada, which explains why the lan has been imitated often, but never

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LEARNS OF DEATH OF FORMER PAPAL SECRETARY OF STATE.

Issues Statement—Declares Rampolia Was One of Greatest Men in Church.

dinal Merry Del Val and Monsignor Giovanni Bressan, the pope's private small trial bottle of "St. In the pair, sore-pears. Don't stay crippled! Get a sad news as gently as possible. But Cardinal Rampolla, coupled with the skin. word "indisposition," he grew pale and begged them to tell him the truth without hesitation, as anxiety and uncertainty affected him more than any-

figures herein given are conserative.
The losses are divided as follows:
International and Great Northern
Loss in revenues \$250,000; physical damage \$250,000.
Sunset Central lines (Including Sunset Central lines (Including

damage \$250,000.

Sunset Central lines (including the Houston and Texas Central, Texas and New Orleans and Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio)—loss in risburg and San Antonio)—loss in His holiness ordered that the high-

risburg and San Antonio)—loss in revenues \$250,000; physical damage \$50,000.

Missouri, Kansas and Texas—Loss in revenues \$75,000; physical damage in revenues Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe—Loss of the Churchman, and his wife of in revenues \$75,000; physical damage New York and discussed with them the question of blooms. 75,000. the question of bringing about a bet-St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico—ter understanding among all religious

Loss in revenues \$100,000; physical sects. Cardinal Rampolla was the closest San Antonio and Aransas Pass—coile Loss in revenue \$75,000; physical damcollaborator with Pope Leo XIII. for the movement of the union of the Christian churches. When Pope Leo St. Louis Southwestern—Loss in was dying a cablegram was received in Rome saying that the American Armage \$10,000.

Trinity and Brados Valley—Physical for his recovery. Cardinal Rampolla damage \$15,000. Houston and Brozas Valley—Loss in took the dispatch immediately to dying pontiff, who instructed Cardinal revenue \$5,000; physical damage \$7,-Rampolla to write that the message had been a great consolation to him, as it had proved that his scheme for the reunion of the churches was not a

Yesterday Cardinal Rampolla went to St. Peters to inspect the work of the restoration of the choir. Later he felt a general indisposition, which developed into profound prostration. He refused, however, to allow his secretary to remain with him all night in the little palace behind St. Peters, where he had lived since he left the

secretaryship of state. The cardinal's secretary, alarmed at is condition, consulted a physician. Washington, Dec. 17 .- Spirited de- his bate in the house today marred the be. The latter visited the cardinal, but disginning of the consideration of the bill covered no serious symptoms and ordered him to take a complete rest. for a government owned railway in Later in the evening the cardinal Alaska. Advocates of the measure degrew worse and had great difficulty in

Washington, Dec. 17 .- An investigating committee, appointed by Secre-tary McAdoo, today completed a report repudiating charges of wholesale graft in the purchase of government supplies involving many millions of dol-lars. Byron R. Newton, assistant secretary of the treasury, is chairman of the committee, which inquired into every phase of government supply contracting.

ment that the investigation was dered as the result of sweeping allega-Washington, Dec. 17.—An increase of tracts who, as soon as Mr. McAdoo as tions by disappointed bidders for con-.6 per cent or 2.888,000 acres in the area sumed office, began to bestege him lanted to winter wheat in the United with complaints.

planted to winter wheat in the United States this fall compared with the revised estimated area sown last year, was reported today by the department of agriculture. The condition of winter wheat on December 1 was 97.3 per cent of a normal, the highest December 1st condition recorded since 1963.

Rye shows a decrease of 1.1 per cent, or 29,000 acres, in the area sown this fall, compared with that of last fall, while December 1 condition, 95.3 per cent of a normal, is the highest since 1967. COMMEMORATE FIRST FLIGHT. Orville Wright Given Reception at

Texas, with 30 per cent, and Oklahoma with 35 per cent, showed the greatest increase in winter wheat acreage, while Kansas, which has by far the greatest area sown, showed an increase of 11 per cent.

The area sown to winter wheat, according to the report, is 36,506,000 acres. cent.

The area sown to winter wheat, according to the report, is 36,506,000 acres.

The area sown to rye is 2,702,000 acres.

The condition of rye on December 1 was 53.3 per cent of a normal compared with 93.5 per cent last year, 93.3 per cent in 1911 and 92.7 per cent the tenyear average.

The acreage and December 1 condition with the tenyear average condition in Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas follows: Wright made their first flight in an aeroplane at Kitty Hawk, N. C., the former remaining in the air just 59

Orville Wright announced tonight that his recently invented stability device would make the aeropiane as nearly foolproof as anything could be and that it was more accurate and reliable than any aviator. He is now simplifying the contrivance and hopes to have it completed in the spring. The Aero club presented him with a resolution of esteem. The tenth anniversary of aviation also was observed at Hempstead Plains, where three monoplanes soured through the air in concord movements for two hours at an altitude of 1,000 feet.

Free Lunch Lacks Supporters.
Chicago, Dec. 17.—Only one of the more than 7,000 salcon keepers in Chicago appeared in defense of the salcon free lunch when it was put on trial before a special council commit-tee today. Representatives of scores wealthy real estate broker, who, it is explained, had been intimate with Mc-Mahon's daughter, a stenographer in Leary's office. The girl's letters to her employer were features of the trial. It was asserted that the lunches put

> in the city. Retired Minister Swindles.
> San Bernardino, Cal., Dec. 17.—Rev.
> Charles Lawrence of Pasadena, a retired minister, was found guilty tonight of obtaining money under false pretenses. He will be sentenced next

18,000 cooks and waiters out of work

London Deal Not Sc Large.

London, Dec. 17.—It now is learned that the amount paid by Harry Mallaby-Deeley for the Duke of Bedford's Covent Garden estate was about \$12,750,000, not \$50,000,000 as previously estimated.

pretenses. He will be sentenced next Monday.

The penalty is imprisonment of one to ten years. Lawrence was charged with swindling E. A. Welch of Ontario out of \$8,000 and an orange grove.

GET A SMALL TRIAL BOTTLE OF PENETRATING OLD-TIME ST. JACOB'S OIL.

Instant Relief! Rub Pain, Scrences and Lumbago From, Your Stiff, Aching Back—It's Great!

Kidneys cause Backache? No! They have no nerves, therefore can Rome, Dec. 17.—The death of Cardinal Rampolla, former papal secretary of state, was not made known to Pope Pius X. until this morning. Car- der spot, and instantly the pain, soresecretary, went to see his holiness at from your druggist and limber up. A an early hour intending to break the moment after it is applied you'll wonatica or lumbago pain, "St. Jacob's when the pope heard the name of Oil" is harmless and doesn't burn the

tism, sprains or a strain.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY DECLARES BIGGEST MATRIMONIAL GRAFT ON RECORD.

Girl Was Engaged to Fifty Men at One Time-One Was Famous Pugilist.

Indianapolis, Dec. 17.-Martin W. Farris of Princeton, Indiana, who with his wife and daughters, Louise and Ora, were indicted here on a charge for of misusing the mails in operating a matrimonial bureau today told Judge A. B. Anderson in federal court that ouise alone was responsible for what

Farris and his wife appeared in urt today and withdrew their plea of not guilty and entered a plea of guilty which they withdrew after Mr. Miller had outlined the government's

Louise pleaded guilty to the charges when arraigned yesterday, but she has not been sentenced. Ora has not been Mr. Miller, in outlining the gov-

ernment's case, declared the plan of swindle was for Louise to write letters to men who wished to marry her. Mrs. Farris mailed the letters, he said. Ora warned away prospective bride-grooms and if they became insistent, the father threatened them. Five who had proposed to Louise arrived in Princeton at the same time, Mr. Miller said, and at one time she was engaged to fifty men. One of the victims who sent Louise \$100, was a widely known pugilist, the district attorney asserted.

Acrording to Mr. Miller there was Princeton when packages or letters arto open a package or letter kept

Mr. Miller told of many prospective railroad tickets. Louise, who confessed her part in

the scheme, Mr. Miller said, told him caused the arrest of three men on the that she wrote to the disgruntled lov- charge that they had robbed him.

leaded not guilty.
Judge Anderson ordered the bond

of Farris and his wife increased to \$1,000 and they were taken to jail, being unable to furnish the amount. The date of their trial was not set.

## CHANGE OF VENUE AT SULPHUK and by means of marked \$20 bills arrest of Amos was made possible.

Murder of Editor, Goes to Cleveland County.

The committee will report several minor errors in the awarding of contracts by a purchasing committee with the comment that the number of mistakes has been remarkably small considering the immense amount of work sidering the immense amount of work seeking a change of venue in the case of John Lindsay, charged with having murdered J. Y. Schenck, editor of the Sulphur Democrat, here last August, was sustained in district court gust, was sustained in district court tonight and the case transferred to Cleveland county for trial.

Public feeling both for and against Lindsay is intense and the motion, filed by attorneys for the defense, was concurred in by counsel for the prosecu-

Jersey City, Dec. 17.—An insane im-digrant attacked Robert Walsh, a guard on a government revenue cutter, tonight, and Walsh died of a broken neck after being pushed from a pier to the deck of the boat. The immigrant, who was menacled, was one of thirty being taken from Chicago to Ellis Island for deportation as "undesirables."



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the weakening influence the weakening influence which always follow throat troubles.

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A. D. ADAMS HOST TO MEMBERS OF COMPANY K. TEXAS NATIONAL GUARD.

Testimonial in Recognition of Splendid Public Service Rendered During Recent Flood.

As a token of appreciation of the splendid work they performed, individually and as a company, during the recent overflow in Waco, A. D. Adams was host to the members of Company K, Texas National Guard, at a panquet served at the Exchange holast night.

Members of the city administration and representatives of the county and of each of the business organizations nd others were among those present. The occasion typifies the feeling that is held by the citizenship of Waco towards the local militia for their part saving life and property during the recent high waters.

W. V. Crawford Toastmaster. W. V. Crawford, president of the Young Men's Business League, pre-Young Men's Business League, presided as toastmaster. He was seated at a table at the end of the banquet hall together with Rev. E. E. Ingram and Rev. A. D. Porter. On either side ranged the other guests at long tables prettily decorated and loaded with good things.

Col. A. R. McCollum was the first speaker of the evening. He was followed by Rev. H. D. Knickerbocker and Mayor James H. Mackey came next. Other speakers were W. J.

next. Other speakers were W. J. Mitchell, County Judge George N. Denton and Harry Baine, who represented the Chamber of Commerce. Each speaker lauded the deeds of the millia and gave them unstinted praise.

Captain Weathered Responds.
Capt. P. A. Weathered of Company
K responded for the soldier boys and in a feeling talk expressed the appreciation the boys felt for this expres city for their efforts. company was organized on high stand-Charles W. Miller, district attorney, did not come up to the qualifications characterized as one of the biggest matrimonial swindles operated in this thanked J. Levinski, who gave the ards and that all were rejected who members of the company passes to the Natatorium pool, to A. D. Adams for the banquet and to Mayor Mackey for the assistance that official lent during the time the company was on He also praised the fire and e departments.

In introducing Mr. Adams the toast-master said: "We have heard talks from all sides but the man who says the greater thing is he who says 'Waiter give me the check." expressed the pleasure he enjoyed of having the company with him. His remarks met with rousing college

#### HE BLACKMAILS PICKPOCKETS

New York Blacksmith Invents Way to Get Money From Criminals.

New York, Dec. 17 .- According to police officials of this city, Herman Amos, an east side blacksmith, is the inventor of a new method of blackbridegrooms who had sent diamond mailing pickpockets and others not bracelets, diamond rings, money and anxious to come in contact with the

Since last September Amos has that they had robbed him. charge

is held in \$5,000 bail. He was to appear against Alexander Fine, charged with holding up Abraham Beloff, but told one of the prisoner's friends two days ago, it is charged, that he would fail to identify the man if paid \$685. Fine's friend informed the and by means of marked \$20 bills the

## or- Trial of John Lindsey, Charged With ADMITS HE ROBBED A CRIPPLE

Tom Applewhite Qualifies to Enter the Meanest Man World's Championship Contest.

Sergeant George W. Rotan and Parolman Charlie James last night arrested on the charge of theft one Tom depth of his delinquency, has quali-fied to enter the Meanest Man Chamcontest when that event is

Tem Applewhite was arrested for stealing a coat. It is the cheapest of cheap coats. It is a coat belonging to a cripple. The cripple is a sick man. He is not only a cripple and a sick man, but he is penniless. Likewise the sick cripple, robbed of his coat, is homeless and without a known

coat, is homeless and without a known living relative. He is temporarily a charge of the Salvation Army.

They Find Tom at Barracks.
And after stealing the coat of the sickeripple. Tom Applewhite the po-lice have discovered, sold it for a doilice have discovered, sold it for a dol-lar, spent the dollar for cheap whiskey applied for lodgings at the Sal vation Army barracks. The police are convinced that Tom went to the bar-racks in the hope of finding a twin brother of the sick cripple, who might also have a coat with a negotiable

He was at the Salvation Army barracks when the cops found Tom last night. He demurred at first to being disturbed, but when he discovered that he would not be required to walk to the station, Tom yawned sleepily and went along peacefully enough.

#### Church Affairs on a Business Basis

Columbus, O., Dec. 17 .- Plans for putting church affairs on a business basis in accordance with suggestions made at a laymen's meeting at Inmade at a laymen's meeting at Inmade at a laymen's meeting at Indianapolis last October, were outlined
here tonight by delegates attending an
efficiency meeting of Methodist Episop of Porto Rico and Halti today in
All Saints Chapel of the University business principles in

Lack of business principe church management and the lump sum from a few men.

## What She Wants SILK HOSE

Regular \$1.50 Hose



We have placed on sale 13 dozen, Ladies' Silk Hose. An extra good heavy quality silk, with double silk foot and hem, in black only. They are classy, stylish and are ideal for Xmas gifts.



# HILL'S BUSINESS CO

and a basement, with steam heat, and will be luxuriously equipped with new furniture. It will not be equalled by any other school in the South in up-to-date counting rooms and elegant appointments throughout. Our teachers have had experience in keeping books in the counting house. We want to march to the new ouilding with 250 students. Will you be one of the number? Special low rates. Address R. H. HILL, Waco, Texas, or Little Rock, Ark., or Memphis, Tenn.

## Why You Should Have a Bank Acct.

BECAUSE You will avoid loss through burglary, fire or the careless handling BECAUSE You will make payments by checks and avoid disputes over the

amount paid or date paid. BECAUSE You will acquire habits of THRIFT, ECONOMY and a desire to

save money. BECAUSE You will have a record of cash received and paid out, without the trouble of bookkeeping.

#### A GOOD PLACE TO KEEP THIS IS AT THE WACO STATE BANK (UNINCORPORATED)

W. W. SELEY.

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## MEDAL FOR FLEMING But He Offers to Produce It if Turned

MEXICAN CLUB OF WACO PAYS HONOR TO M'LENNAN'S GALLANT SHERIFF.

Recipient of Handsome Gold Token Mystified, but Pleased With Gift and Sentiment Expressed.

Coming from an organization and from a source totally unexpected and from a source totally unexpected and "Boss, I suttenly ain't done stole dat unknown to him, a package received ring. I is sho' one innocent nigger. by Sheriff S. S. Fleming through the But I'll tole you what I'll do, mails yesterday brought a warm glow

to that official's heart.

In the morning's mail a small package was delivered. It proved to be a gold medal and was sent to Mr. Flem-Applewhite, who, by admitting the ing as the result of his untiring efforts to relieve the distressed in the recent floods which swept down the Brazos river and over part of Waco.

> Medal From Mexicans. The medal of pure gold and finely engraved was accompanied by a not signed by "Mexican Club of Waco." The note read:

> The note read:
> "Mr. S. S. Fleming, Sheriff, McLennan County, Texas, Waco.
> "Dear Sir:—It is with pleasure we present you with this small reward for the heroic work you did in saving the lives of the poor Mexicans who lived on the banks of the flooded Brazos. (Signed)

> "Mexican Club of Waco." The pretty medal bore the name of the sheriff and on the top side the fol-lowing inscription: "Awarded for herodeeds in Brazos river flood of De-mber, 1913." On the reverse side cember. this inscription: "Presented by Mexican Club of Waco, Texas,

> Wouldn't Take \$1,000 for It. Sheriff Fleming does not know to whom he is indebted for the gift and his inquiry yesterday led him to no one who was head of such an organ-

> "It came from Dallas, I think," he said. "My supposition is that the medal was engraved in that city with a view of keeping the identity of the senders secret.' The sheriff is more than proud of the token of honor.

\$1,000 for it," he said.

Rev. Charles Colmore Consecrated. Nashville, Dec. 17.—The Very Rev. drug store in the country sells it and Charles Blayney Colmore, former dean the price is 56 cents. To be sure you

of the South at Sewanee.

The bishops of the Episcopal church it won't be worth anything. church management and the small proportion of members contributing to church support were deplored in resolutions adopted by district super- bishop of South Carolina: Right Rev. If your druggist won't supply you. i bishop of Florida.

Sylvester Lampkin, colored, was arrested and lodged at the station last night by Patrolman Head, charged with stealing a gold ring. The of-

ficer found dusky Sylvester wrangling with another negro at Seventh and Austin streets and "butted in." Sylvester's companion was demanding the return of a missing ring and accusing him of having "mooched" it. The policeman listened to the argu-

ment a few minutes, then decided to take Sylvester in on general principles At the police station, the negro, be-meaning his ill luck, said:

you'll turn me loose jes' for a little while, I'll go git dat doggone ring and brung it to you. I most suttenly will, But Policeman Head was obdurate.

Sylvester was jugged.

Books Relating to Shakespears. London, Dec. 17.—The large collection of books relating to Shakespeare formed by the late Prof. Edward Dowden of the University of Dublin has been purchased by a New York collector.

Quickest and Pleasantest WAY TO CHASE AWAY A COLD

Surest, Easiest,

Act Now-Follow This Suggestion, and By Morning You Won't Have Any More Cold "Than a Rab-bit"-If You Have, Get Your Money Back.

Instead of sniffles and tears, you will be a picture of smiles and good nature, if you will throw away all the old, so-called "cold cures" and eat a lump of sugar with a few drops Virgin Oil of Pine. Within five minutes your cold will be on the run and your head will sure-

ly begin to clear. Relieves a cold al-There's no doubt or uncertainty "I would not take dreds of thousands of cases, and these

olks all know. Just be sure you get Leach's Virgin Oil of Pine-Compound Puri. Every drug store in the country sells it and get Leach's—suppose you take this "ad" with you to the druggist—for if you don't get the genuine then of course you can't get your money back and if it doesn't cure your cold, then

resolutions adopted by district super-intendents. They also outlined a plan of obtaining subscriptions from all members of the family instead of prepaid.

# A Modern Hotel

# Markets By Telegraph

New York, Dec. 17 .- The cotton mar-

So per bale under the high level of desenson.

Relatively steady cables and reports that there had been very little hedge selling in Liverpool excoveraged a renewal of yesterday's covering movement during the early trading. There may also have been some buying on overnight reports of steady interior spot markets and private cables claiming a better business in Manachester, and, after opening steady at an advance of 1 to 3 points the market sold about 6 to 9 points higher. This related a rally of 16 to 18 points from the low level of Tuesday morning, which appeared sufficient to bring out increased offerings from bearish sources, while after the close of Liverpool had shut out straddle buying the support was less active.

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he market weakened consequent! arket had been weakened by the neav quidation noted since the opening las aturday seemed to inspire an increase emand from recent selers, while the iso was a little buying from trad ources and some trading for a reaction

New Orleans.

New Orleans, Dec. 17.—A bulge shortly after the opening, followed by a sharp break, featured price changes in the cotton market today. In the early hours the market had a very good tone and bulls displayed considerable confidence in their ability to bring about a reaction from the decline. Gossip of the market said that it was oversold and sold out, but after the close of the Liverpool market more cotton was offered than the ring could absorb and a break resulted.

Liverpool stood better than due when the American markets opened and sent over a large volume of buying orders. As long as this buying lasted prices were well maintained, but when it ceased the market fell off. Private cable messages from England stated that Manchester business was improving.

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it in the early trading, and this
decided help to the market. At
most the trading months were 10

coints up. At this level selling
nereased suddenly and the marnot cease declining until it was
points under the highest levels
morning. This break put the shorts, who wanted tehir profits. The close was steady at a net gain for the day of 1 to 5 points.

#### Gibert & Clay's Letters.

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New Orleans, Dec. 17.—The undertone is still feverish and liquidation appears from time to time. The anticipation of heavy ginnings as shewn by the government report Saturday, and more liberal spot offerings are features tending to generate bearish confidence. Economic financial, industrial and political conditions are still against any material rise in values. Statistics alone cannot produce the desired results.

Stuff and price lists saw a decline that reached practically everything in the yards, bulls and calves, which were fully and calves, which were steeding in the yards, bulls and calves, which were fleely and calves, which were fully a lime lower. Very few sales of any importance were made until after the noon hour. Beeves sold at \$6@8.00. St. L. & S. F. 2 pf. Seaboard Air L. Do. pfrd.......

Sold Salves \$4.05.25, bulls \$1.05.00. St. Section of the noon hour steems \$4.05.25, bulls \$1.05. Seaboard Air L. Do. pfrd.......

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ster, heavy liquidation again occurred e, causing prices to decline 22 points, e selling was heavy and general in tracter. At the decline spot interests cter. At the delivery and fully Liverpool bought freely and fully and the decline. The market failed

#### GIBERT & CLAY. FUTURES.

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New Orleans, Dec. 17	Cotton futures
closed at a net advance	
	High. Low. Close.
December 12.65	
January12.71	
March	
May	13.05 12.82 12.97
July	13.06 12.86 13.0
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December	12.49 12.70	12.40 12.26 12.48	12.5 12.3 12.3 12.5
May	12.67	12.45	12.5 12.5 12.5
July12.56 August	12.61	12.40	12.4
September11.76		11.76	11.5
Liverpool, Dec. 17.			
barely steady. December December-January			6.81
January-February February-March March-April April-May		• • • • • • • •	6.81 6.83 6.85
May-June			6.83
July-August	*****		6.61%
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SPOTS.
Galveston. Galveston, Dec. 17.—Spot cotton quiet unchanged. Low ordinary
Houston, Dec. 17.—The spot market closed steady and unchanged.

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New Orleans.

New Orleans, Dec. 17.—Cotton spot warquiet and unchanged, with middling at3c; sales, on the spot 558, to arrive 2770

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, ,	Wheat— May July Corn—		921/4	91%	Close. 92 88
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e i.	January1 May1				10.82% 11.07%

Chicago. Dec. 17.—Cash grain: Wheat, No. 2 red 96½@87c, No. 2 hard 88½@ 89½c, No. 2 northern 90@91c, No. 2 spring 89½@90½c: corn, new, No. 2 yellow 71½c;

#### Kansas City.

Kansas City, Dec. 17.—Cash wheat, No. 1 hard 84½@89c, No. 2 red 91@92½c; orn, No. 2 mixed 68½c, No. 2 white 70½@71c; oats, No. 2 white 41½@41½c, No. mixed 40c.
Close: Wheat, May 87%@87½c, July 84%c; corn, December 68c, May 72%c

St. Louis.

St. Louis, Dec. 17.—Cash grain: Wheat, No. 2 red 96@36½c, No. 2 hard \$8½@93c; corn, No. 2 69@70c. No. 2 white 69@70c; oats, No. 2 41c. No. 2 white 42½c. Close: Wheat, December 90c, May 92½@92½c; corn, December 71½c, May 72½c; oats, December 41c, May 43½c. Flour, quiet; hay, easy.

Receipts: Flour 9000, wheat 96,000, corn 65,000, oats 56,000, Shipments: Flour 13,000, wheat 82,000, corn, 15,000, oats 53,000.

#### Livestock.

Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, Dec. 17.—Cattle market was swamped today, receipts running up to the generous proportions of 5600 cattle and 500 calves, making a total of more than 18,600 for the three days bulk.

There was slow trade in all classes of There was slow trade in all classes of stuff and price lists saw a decline that

New York Dry Goods. New York, Dec. 17.—Cotton goods were quiet and barely steady today. Worsted and cotton yarns were dull and easy, in men's wear, clothiers placed orders more

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Good ordinary
Fair Receipts 15,947; stock 270,994.
New York.
New York, Dec. 17.—Spot cotton quiet Middling uplands 12.9 Middling gulf 13.1 No. sales.

Memphis, Dec. 17.—Cotton unchanged; middling 13%c.

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od middling	Liverpool, Dec. 17 Cotton spot fair	Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref. 4s
falling fair	demand; prices easier.	Southern Railway 5s
ales, spots 599, f. c. b. 2220; ship-	Middling fair	Southern Railway gen. 4s
nts 11,898; stock 171,413,	Good middling	Union Pacific 4s
Montesper	Middling	Union Pacific ev. 48
New Orleans.	Low middling	Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s
ew Orleans, Dec. 17.—Cotton spot was	Good ordinary	U. S. Rubber 6s
	Ordinary	
	Sales 8000, including 6200 American and	
	500 for speculation and export; receipts	
HREATY 1-16	27,000 including 25,800 American.	Western Maryland 48

was again very nervous and unsettled tinued talk of large ginnings returns reports that spinners were showing valitile interest in the matter of fresh chases, seemed largely responsible for enewal of general liquidation or bear source, which sent prices into new ground for the movement.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—Because the acreage estimate in the government report today turned out to be larger than xpected, wheat prices eased off somewhat, though not nearly as much as the news appeared to suggest. The close was steady same as last night to %@14 down. Corn give there was a good deal.

om the lowest, with the close steady at net decline of 2 to 7 points. July ontracts sold at 12 26 on the midday reak, or just about 76 points under the gh price which resulted shortly after the publication of the government's crop timate last Friday and approximately per bale under the high level of the approximately per bale under the high level of the approximately a shade to 7½c.

Previous to the announcement of the government's figures the wheat market seemed to favor the bulls. Reason for the firmness comprised higher cattle quotations, continued light receipts in the northwest and fear of a crop scare in the investment market resulted in a declination. The congestion of the London the general list hardenee little progress was made. Monetar, conditions favored more active specular too, call loans renewing at 3½ per cent but funds for fixed dates were hard to obtain. The congestion of the London to the progress was made. Monetar, conditions favored more active specular too, call loans renewing at 3½ per cent but funds for fixed dates were hard to obtain. The congestion of the London for the progress was made. Monetar, conditions favored more active specular too, call loans renewing at 3½ per cent but funds for fixed dates were hard to obtain. The congestion of the London for the progress was made. Monetar, conditions favored more active specular too, call loans renewing at 3½ per cent but funds for fixed dates were hard to obtain. The congestion of the london for the progress was made. Monetar, conditions favored more active specular too, call loans renewing at 3½ per cent but funds for fixed dates were hard to obtain. The congestion of the specular too, call loans renewing at 3½ per cent but funds for fixed dates were hard to obtain. The congestion of the specular too, call loans renewing at 3½ per cent but funds for fixed dates were hard to fixed dates were

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Am. Agricultural.				4
Am. Beet Sugar				23
Am. Can	800	265%	2634	21
Do. pfrd	100	88	88	8
Am. Car & Foun.				43
Am. Cotton Oil				3
Am. Ice Secur	300	2154	2114	21
Am. Linseed				
Am. Locomotive.	300	2836	2814	21
Am. Sm. & Rfg	200	6134	6136	61
Do. pfrd				9
Am. Sugar Rfg				10
Am. Tel. & Tel	13,100	115%	115%	11
Atchison	1,400	93	92%	9
Do. pfrd				9
Atlantic Coast L.	200	119	119	11
Baltimore & Ohio	300	9136	9114	9
Bethlehem Steel.			0179	2
Br. Rap. Tran	600	8654	8614	81
Canadian Pacific.	6,400	219	217%	21
Central Leather	4,400	25 34	241/4	2
Chesapeake & O.				5
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Chi. Gt. Western. C., M. & St. P	***	****		91
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Chi. & N. W	100	27	27	2
Colo. Fuel & Ir	100			12
Con. Gas	100	670	8%	1-
Corn Products	100	8%		15
Dela. & Hud	***			1
Denver & R. G	200	2714	27%	2
Do. pfrd			15%	i
Distillers Secur'		16	27	2
Erie	600	27%		
Do. 1st pfrd	111	****		4 2
Do. 2nd pfrd		341/9	34	
Gen. Electric	800	13534	134%	13
Gt. N. pfrd	300	1233,	123%	12
Gt. N. Oil Ctfs	100	311/2	311/2	3
Illinois Central		****	****	10
InterMet		2111		1
Do. pfrd	600	5914	59	5

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N. Y. Central ...
N. Y. Ont. & W.
Nor. & West ...
North American.
Northern Pacific
Pacific Mail.
Pennsylvania

27,500 16234 16134 161 4 5.50, calves \$5@8.00.

Only 800 hogs were yarded today and the market held to a steady or near steady level. Quality was not as good as that of Tuesday, best stuff bringing \$7.75 with the bulk of sales making a range of

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Sheep sold on an active and steady basis; receipts amounted to 300 head.

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Chicago. Texas & Pacific... 16,100 151% 151 150% Chicago, Dec. 17.—Butter unchanged mas.

Open. High. Low. Close.
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12.89 12.97 12.73 12.88
13.90 13.05 12.82 12.97
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New York.

Dec. 17.—Cotton futures
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Kansas City.

Kansas Coolo & Ohio Conv. 48.

Chicago, R. I. & Pacific Ry.

Kansas City Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s... Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s... Distillers' 5s... Erie prior lien 4s.....

Inter. Merc. Marine 44gs.
Japan 44gs
K. C. Southern ref. 5s.
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)
Louisville & Nashville Un. 4s.
Mo., Kan. & T. 1st 4s.
Mo., Kan. & Tex. gen. 4½s.
Missouri Pacific 4s.
Missouri Pacific conv. 5s.
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National Rys. of Mex. 14s.

New York Central gen. 34s.

N. Y. Central deb. 4s.

N. Y. N. H. & Hartford ev. 34s.

Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s.

Northern Pacific 4s.

Northern Pacific 4s.

Oregon Short Line rfdg. 4s. Penn. cv. 3148 (1915).. Penn. con. 48 ......

#### Among the Wholesalers.

Of course Waco is not doing the jobbing E. Burlingame in federal court here Of course Waco is not doing the jobbing E. But that that her location leads one to expect, but no one of the wholesalers doubts that the time is not far off when she will, and every wholesaler is laying his plans and extending his lines to increase the city's trade territory and to get his share of the trade when the territory is increased.

While weather yesterday was fair and the sun shone all day, dirt roads are in such a condition and so many bridges are washed out in the county that very few buyers made the trip to Waco for supplies. Of these the following are re-

orted;
Cooper Grocery Co.—W. H.. Tate of Stranger; T. F. Bailey, Ben Arnold.
Taylor-Hanna-James Co.—Sam Spruiell of Stansell; J. H. Rountree, Whitney.
Waco Drug Co.—F. Lacina, Chilton; J. F. Sutton and G. P. Owen, Leon Junction.

Behrens Drug Co.-W. E. Jackson McLendon Hardware Co.-W. L. Jones, Hamilton; A. F. Rogers, Axtell; J. A. Land, Moody.

#### Money.

Call Money. New York, Dec. 17.—Call money 34 24 per cent, ruling rate 34, closing bid 34 234 per cent; time loans firm, 60-day and 90-day loans 54 per cent; six-month loans 5254 per cent.

Mercantile Paper. New York, Dec. 17.—Mercantile paper 5½ 9.6 per cent; sterling exchange firm, 60 day at 4.81, demand at 4.85.25, commercial bills 4.80½; bar silver 57%c; Mexican dollars 44c; government bonds firm;

Paris Rentes. Paris, Dec. 17.—Rentes 84f 50c; ex-hange on London 25f 32c.

London Consols.

London, Dec. 17.—Consols for money 715-16, consols for the account 717-16; bar silver quiet at 2611-16d; money 4149 414 per cent; discount rate for short bills 5 per cent; for three-month bills 4% per cent.

#### MOVEMENT OF SHIPS.

Galveston, Dec. 17.—Arrived: Steamers
Southgate (Br.), Cardiff: Atlantis (Nor.),
Vera Cruz; El Alba (Br.), San Marcos,
Cleared: Steamers El Norte, New York; Cleared: Steamers El Norte, New York;
Wray Castle (Nor.), Ghent and Antwerp;
Crispin (Br.), Liverpool; Harry T. Inge
(Nor.) Port Limon.
Sailed: Steamers Professor (Br.), Liverpool; Laura Maersk (Dan.), Passages
and Bordeaux; Himalaya (Aust.), Barcolona; El Mundo, New York; Denver, New
York; Frankenwald (Ger.), Hamburg.

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## POULTRY, BUTTER AND EGGS.

Kansas City, Dec. 17.—Buter, cream-ery 33c, firsts 32c, seconds 31c, packing

Eggs and poultry unchanged.

stock 19c.

St. Louis, Dec. 17.—Poultry, unchanged except chickens 11c, springs 11½c. Butter, creamery 34½c. Eggs unchanged.

New York, Dec. 17 .- Eggs steady and local

June 

Memphis, Dec. 17.—Cotton seed products: Prime basis oil 5.87, meal \$27.69 27.25, linters 2%.63%.

New York Coffee. New York, Dec. 17.—The coffee market closed barely steady at 22 to 16 net lower. Sales 65,000 bags. Spot easy, No. 7 Rio 916. No. 4 Santos 12%; mild, dull, Cordova 13@16%; futures barely steady, with March at 9.36 and May at 9.62.

L. C. Meier to Rabe Wilson, tract in Mart. \$2250. C. L. Watson to Rabe Wilson, lots 12. 13, 14, block 64, Watson addition to Mart. \$500. Provident National Bank to W. G. May-nard, 12 acres of teh I. Galindo grant. \$1250.

part of block 18, J. D. Bell addition, 18500.

Waco Development Co. to E. Hornberger, lots I and 2, block 8, and lot 10, block 16, Belle Meade Court addition to East Waco, \$1500.

W. H. Jones to T. F. Mann, \$7x185 feet on 16th and Columbus streets, part of farm lot 22, \$11,000.

S. B. Stanfield to J. L. Hurst, lots 7 and 8, block 7, Axtell, \$100.

W. R. Abel et ux to 8id Post, 40x155 feet on North Seventh street, near McKinney avenue, \$2000.

Abe Gross to Sid Post, part of the E. Dickey addition, \$1200.

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At T. Patterson et ux to Sid Post, part of block 6, Morris addition, \$2250.

J. J. Richards et ux to Sid Post, lots 1 to 8, block 45, Provident addition, \$2500.

Z. Hunt et ux to F. Scott, 60 acres J. D. Sanchez grant, \$1800.

W. A. Presley et ux to Paul 8, Skrabanek et al, lots 6 and 7, block 4, Z. Davis extension to West, \$4000.

A. C. Norman et ux to J. Bradley, lot 10, block 8, Fairview addition, \$1509.

#### WORLD WAS WIRELESS MAD [

Testimony in Radio Suit Shows How Stock Sold After Binns Proved

New York, Dec. 17.-The world was wireless mad after the steamship Re-It seems that the wholesale trade is holding its breath until the holdays are come and gone. It's the same everywhere. All the jobbers say they do not expect to do much until the new year opens. Then there will be no time to rest and play. Desks will pile up with work for the office man, and the outside man will have all and seemingly more than he can do.

Wireless mad after the steamship Republic disaster nearly five years ago in which "Jack" Binns figured as a hero by remaining hours at his operating post, and the Radio Wireless Telephone company as a result was swamped with orders for stock, according to testimony given by Elmer cording to testimony given by Elmer

> Burlingame is on trial with James Dunlop Smith, Samuel E. Darby and Lee Deforest, accused of making fraudulent use of the mails in promoting the Radio company's stock. The witness was the second of the defendants to take the signd. Darby having to take the stand, Darby having com-pleted his testimony in his own be-

Burlingame told how a great deal of money was raised by stock selling after the sinking of the Republic. "For six months," he testified, "when the world was wireless mad the mone just poured in to us without any great effort on our part." Burlingame testified the company

had planned to build up a great wire-less telephone and telegraph company overing the entire country.

The trial will be resumed tomorrow.

## GEORGE IS TO BE ELIMINATED

Founder of Junior Republic Is Charged in Private Investiga. tion.

New York, Dec. 17 .- The elimination of Wm. R. George from the George Junior republic at Freeville, N. Y., founded by him more than a decade ago, probably will be recommended by the state board of charities in a state-

ment to be issued tomorrow.

The board today adopted the report of a special commission appointed to investigate charges made against Mr. George in connection with the admin-istration of the republic.

"This report probably will recommend the elimination of Mr. George and the removal of all girls from the republic," said R. M. Hebberd, secretary of the board. The report, although adopted today, will not be

made public until tomorrow. public has been under way. The in-quiry has been a private one. More than fifty witnesses have testified, some coming from as far as North

#### Miss Wilson Gives Advice to "Spugs"

Washington, Dec. 17 .- Miss Marga ret Woodrow-Wilson, the president's eldest daughter, who is chairman of the Washington committee of the So Giving, in a statement today suggested a plan of useful Christmas giving for local "Spuge," which, if adopted in the capital, she felt, might "alter the whole Christmas spirit all over this

local "Spugs" as interested in useful giving, either as individuals or in combination, should find some person and give him or her a happy Christ-

"If this suggestion could be taken undergoing an investigation, We ask you not to give from a sense of obligation, but to give for the joy

toward the holding of a big chautau-qua for Temple during June of next year and negotiations are being car-ried on with a company that furnishes

attractions for such events.
It has been ten years since a chautauqua was held in Temple and the movement to revive the institution is meeting with strong local support. Those directly interested in the matter are: Messrs. H. C. Glenn, W. Goodrich, C. D. Wolf and Rev. B, A.

M., K. & T. Into Belton.

Belton, Tex., Dec. 17.—The M., K. & T. railroad is now operating trains regularly into Belton again, using the tracks of the Santa Fe railroad from Temple until repairs can be made to its own track and bridge over Leon

The first freight train to operate for some days came through today con-taining sixteen cars of delayed freight that had been tied up during

#### Transfers of real estate, recorded yesterday, are reported as follows by the McLennan County Abstract Co.: L. C. Meier to Rabe Wilson, tract in here today, funeral services being constant, \$2250. Monday at San Angelo, were interred here today, funeral services being con-ducted from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Taylor. Deceased was born in Temple thirty-

seven years ago. For several years failing health prompted her to make her residence in San Angelo. Though even its tips are made of netal a new flexible tube invented in

France for gas connections is leak

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#### BURGLARIES AT TEMPLE. Police Spread Drag Net for Suspicious

Characters. Temple, Dec. 17.-A series of burmighty and prosperous land."

She made it plain that the "Spug" movement was directed not solely at senseless Christmas giving, but toward the encouragement of useful giving.

Miss Wilson's suggestion was that local police into unaccustomed activious contents. rest having resulted, has stirred the

give a good account of themselves are

The latest residence to suffer was that of E. J. Pope, agent of the M. K. & T. company, which was entered last night while the family was absent, and a large quantity of clothing and other articles of value abstracted. The burglaries are invariably committed during the absence of the families affected, which indicates that they are the work of some person or persons closely in touch with condi-

Would Not Change Kahn Law. Washington, Dec. 17.—Any attempt to amend the Kahn law granting patents and copyright protection to forcign exhibitors at the San Francisco exposition might have the effect of eliminating representation of some forcign countries. Secretary Bryan told the bouse prignts committee which the house patents committee which was considering the Bulkley bill, a

substitute measure. The secretary appealed to the committee not to change the law unless for the gravest defect and even then only after weighing the consequences

He urged that if defects had been overed that they be remedted by administration.



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modern conveniences, to a gentleman only. Old phone 1221, 913 Austin St.

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WANTED—Several hustlers for our street sales department. Good profits. See Circulation Manager of the News, phones 1132.

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courts. Office hours 8 to 12, 2 to 6.

WANTED—your order for hauling your goods, moving your safe, machinery or building material. Hunter Transfer Co.

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WANTED—Girl to assist with cooking; German or Scandinavian preferred. Old phone 2586.

WANTED—To employ the best cook in town. Will pay accordingly. Must have good references. Mrs. W. W. Cameron.

WANTED—At once, good cook, small family, good wages. Mrs. C. W. Wilson, 707 N. 15th St., old phone 2515.

WANTED—A cook, salary \$10 per week. Apply 3d St. cafe, 116 S. 3d St.

WANTED—An experienced bookkeeper

Dallas, Texas.

WE are literally swamped with calls for teachers to begin after the holidays. Write immediately. Texas Teachers' Agency, Abilene, Texas.

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Poultry and Eggs.

WOOD! WOOD!

CITY MAPS for sale by W. H. Jones,

Livestock and Vehicles.

N. 6th St. FOR SALE—A young Jersey milk cow. Apply 1900 Clay street. New phone 674.

FOR SALE—Good-sized perfectly gentle family horse, cheap. Peyton Randle & Co., 105 S. 5th St.

Lost, Found, Strayed, Etc.

LOST—A set of four pair of scissors in leather case, between Glaze-Lane Co. and Graham-Jarrell Co. Please ring new phone 551, old 311.

RATES FOR

Classified Advertisements ROOMS, also light housekeeping. 920 IN FOR RENT-3 unfurnished rooms, 405 N. 8th St., both phones, new 2920, old 443.

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Call either phone 1132 and ask for Want Ad Department.

Prop.

WANTED—To notify every gentleman
in Waco that the Reich bar is open to
serve you drinks, liquors, champagne,
Budweiser and imported Muenchner Dressmaking and Ladies' Tailoring.

DRESSMAKING-First-class work guar anteed. Call new phone 1676Z. BOYS—Would you like to make 50 cents every morning before school? If so, see the circulation manager of the Morning

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Fine Candidum and Crinum Lilies.
Hedge plants, shade trees and shrubs.
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SELL FOR CASH, large block Ex ange National Bank stock. Box 24C care News.

STOCKS AND BONDS—We buy, sell and exchange stocks and bonds of reliable companies. See us before you buy or sell. V. K. Bessonette & Co., 807 Amica-

ble Bldg.

FOR SALE—120 shares Alamo Finance
Co. (San Antonio) stock at \$15.50 per
share. This is an excellent investment,
as this stock has never paid less than
twelve and one-half per cent dividend.
V. K. Bessonette & Co., 807 Amicable
Bldg.

WANT to buy Bankers' Trust Co. stock; have some Lumbermen's Trust Co. stock for saie. Peyton Randle & Co., 105 S. 5th St. WANTED—An experienced bookkeeper who is capable of opening and conducting a full set of books for a large retail general merchandise store; must give good reference and furnish bond. Address W. C., care this office.

WANTED—Office manager for Waco, salary \$100 per month. Write quick to the P. & G. system, 212 Sumpter Bidg., Dallas, Texas. consider real estate. Davis, Stanford & Davis, 305 Amicable.

Money to Loan.

ANYTHING OF VALUE You may obtain a loan through N. M. Gay, broker, 314% Franklin, phones 786

Medical. CANCERS, tumors, wens, utcers, pilet, fistula. Special treatment without knife, without pain. Box 244, Troup, Texas.

COLOMBIA RAISES TARIFF. Maximum Rates Becomes Effective in

Three Months.

THOROUGHERED Golden Wyandotte hens, pullets and cockerels for sale at 11 each. Apply to C. E. James, Trinity, ed States. Last year they were value. U. S. Supplies Principal Imports.

J. J. GARMON, TEAGUE, TEX.

TO EXCHANGE 40-100-200 acre tracts of fine East Texas truck land, for Waco residence or vacant lots.

JOHNSON-SHARPE REALTY CO., 85 Provident Bidg.

TO EXCHANGE at \$15,000, one of the finest and best located homes on N. 5th

WOOD: A service was caused by track defects and increase from one to three cents is an increase from one to three cents a kilo and on flour a decrease from cases were due primarily to colli-1000 cords for sale. Any quantity, any eight to six cents per kilo. The wheat sions, price. Coal Oil John, eld phone 394. and flour imports last year were \$500,- Under the heading of "Engine De-060. On medicines of which the year- lays," 15,507 instances of excess serv-LARGE quantity of hog feed for sale; cheap. Clement Grain Co., East Waco.

Against Seames's Bill.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Representatives of shipping interests continued stituted by the commission," the analysis points out, "the number of inalysis points out, "the number of inalysis points out," the number of inalysis points out, "the number of inalysis points out," marine committee against the La Folget Sound shipping, asserted that hazard to life and property will be increased if the lifeboat requirement of the bill were complied with, an account of the added congestion on the boats.

Officers of various Chicago steam- of attention as will enable boat companies testified the La Fol-lette seamen's bill would put their lines out of business. Frank Kirby of Detroit, a ship designer, said it was possible to add additional ballast to most of the lake ships so as to allow the increase of the lifeboat capacity without threatening the stability of the vessels, but that to do so would reduce the passenger and cargo capacity of the ships so as to make them pacity of the ships so as to make them commercially unsuccessful. commercially unsuccessful.

LOST—Gray horse and buggy; horse 16 hands high, hired horse Saturday 13th. Liberal reward for information. E. T. Alexander's Livery Stable, 117 N. 2nd St. Alexander's Livery Stable, 117 N. 2nd St.
LOST—A black velvet hand bag containing \$8.20 in money; also eye-glasses.
Finder return to News office for reward.
TAKEN UP, by mistake, in East Waco, one Jersey helfer, 5 or 6 months old.
Owner can recover same at 213 Washing ton St.

\$\frac{1}{2}\$\$ REWARD for the return of my boy's bicycle, stolen last night from the front of Golstein-Migel Co.; red Miami, No.

Hotel Clerks Meet.

LOST—Bunch of keys of about 7; presto key; belt hook. Finder please return to News for reward. News for reward.

LOST—Small brown pocket purse, at 4th and Austin streets. Purse contained lady's watch and some coins. Finder please call New phone 2255. Galveston, Dec. 17.—The fourth an-nual convention of the Texas Hotel Clerks' association began here this aft-ernoon with members present from every important city of the state. WANTED—To lease or rent, store for groceries, with living rooms. Address Groceries, care News.

Wented—10 item.

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The annual banquet took place tonight. The convention will continue through tomorrow and will close with an oyster roast down the island tomorrow night, at which provide the lay mind that continue through tomorrow night, at which provide the lay mind that continue through tomorrow night, at which provide the lay mind that continue through tomorrow night, at which provide the lay mind that continue through tomorrow night, at which provide the lay mind that continue through tomorrow night, at which provide the lay mind that continue through the lay mind the l

**VIOLATIONS** OF 16 HOUR LAW

COMMISSIONER CHAS. C. M'CHORD COMMENTS ON RAILROAD REPORTS.

300,000 DURING THE YEAR

Roads Give Reasons Why Men Stay in Service Continuously Longer Than Lawful.

Washington, Dec. 17 .- "Violations of the law limiting the service of train employes on American railroads to sixteen consecutive hours go to the very heart of the efficiency and safety of train operation," said Commission-er Charles C. McChord, commenting upon a statement issued today by the interstate commerce commission an-alyzing the monthly reports of inter-state railroads on hours of service during the fiscal year ending June 30,

Nearly 300,000 violations of the 16-Nearly 300,000 violations of the 16-hour law were reported by 269 rail-roads during the year, the roads sub-mitting various reasons why such vio-lations were necessary. The com-mission's analysis points out, how-ever, that while this figure may appear abnormal to the lay mind, it must be remembered that 251,111 men were employed in handling trains during the year and that the excess service probably would not exceed one instance to

The difference in efficiency and safety of operation between various railroad systems," Mr. McChord said, "is shown clearly by the commission" analysis in the marked disparity be tween the ratio of excess service to mileage between railroads serving practically the same territory. For instance, one of the eastern roads, operating more than 5,300 miles of tracks, reports 5,224 instances in which trainmen were on duty for periods longer than those provided by law, while another road in the same territory, with such instances

Small Roads Most Violations. "A comparison of the figures submit-ted by two other of the principal east-ern lines shows, respectively, a mileage of 2.258, with 5.451 instances of excess service as compared with 2,-829 miles and 16,448 instances. In the prairie country, one road with a mileage of 4,755, reports approximately 20,-000 instances of excess service, while another road in the same territory with more than 7,500 miles of tracks, re-ports only 2,310 instances of excess ervice.
"In the southwestern territory one

road, operating less than 6,490 miles of tracks, reports approximately 1,700 instances of excess service, while an-other line, similarly situated, geographically, reports only 280 instances on a mileage of more than 7,504 miles. A corresponding comparison between two roads in the northwestern section of the country shows a mileage of ap-proximately 8,000 miles with less than 800 instances of excess service. another road, with less than 10,000 miles of line, reports nearly 6,000 in-

stances of excess service."

Commissioner McChord, within whose supervision comes the actual administration of the hours of service act, directed the preparation of the analysis.

The law provides a maximum of six-Bogota, Dec. 17.—Higher tariff rates as a rule, prevail in the new tariff law just passed by the Colombia con-Automobiles, Tires, Etc.

The maximum rates under the law will not become effective until three months from December 6, the date when the law became operative, while the minimum rates on the industrial class of imports becomes effective ten months after the date.

The maximum rates under the law admittedly is being violated continually by the railroads—many times unavoidably. The carriers are required to report each instance in which an employe served more than sixteen hours consecutively, a fine of \$500 being the penalty for failure to report.

Derailments Cause Violations. U. S. Supplies Principal Imports.

The analysis shows that detailments

Washington, Dec. 17.—Most of Co- afforded the most prolific cause of excess service, 88,317 cases being attributed by the carriers to that generic Texas.

For Sale Miscellaneous.

St. BERNARD pupples for sale. Phones 2086.

FOR SALE—Thomas Goggan piano, very chean. New phone 1652.

Last year they were valued at more than \$5,000,000.

Under the new tariff law increases ranging from 33 to 50 per cent over the present rates are made on most articles. The one exception is on materials at the present rates are made on most articles. The one exception is on materials at the present rates are made on most articles. The one exception is on materials at the decision of the decision of the present rates are made on most articles. The one exception is on materials at the decision of th

Under the heading of "Engine Decheap. Clement Grain Co., East Waco.

BAND INSTRUMENTS—New and second hand, always on hand. Charles W. Parker, 314 Clay St., new phone \$70.

Lard imports were \$250,000. responsible for nearly 10,000 additional

lette seamen's bill. W. L. Gazzam ing the last six months, as compared and James L. Gibson, representing Pu- with the corresponding figures for pre-

alysis of their reports such a

teen hours' continuous service with-out having had at least ten consecu-NOTICE OF SALE IN BANKRUPTCY. tive hours off duty, while 274 of such By virtue of an order of the District court of the United States for the er sixteen hours of continuous serv-

stor St.

Stock of furniture fixtures and restauded to the state of bicycle, stolen last night from the front of Golstein-Migel Co.; red Miami, No. 24490; 20-inch frame; extra long front and rear mud guards. W. C. Torbett, 207½, S. 7th St.

Stock of furniture fixtures and restauded to the consecutive hours. The bicycle, stolen last night from the front supplies belonging to the estate of Boggs Bros., bankrupts; said sale being subject to the approval of the Court. Inventory may be seen at my office in Waco, Texas

JOHN MAXWELL, Receiver.

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The total number of cases of excess

service of all classes reported by the railroads for the fiscal year was 299,-953. The report says it is not to be assumed this number comprehends all

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Encourage your boy or girl to indulge in healthy outdoor and indoor exercise and sports, by select-

Exclusive Sporting Goods. A com plete line of fireworks.

nearly 300,000 men should have been responsible for the operation of trains for periods in excess of those prescribed by law," says the report. cognizance is taken of the fact that 251,111 men were employed in train service alone during the year, in addition to the vast number of telegraphers, and of the number of trains operated in order to provide employ-ment for so many men, one almost marvels that the volume of traffic could have been transported with such a small proportion of excess serv

On July 1, 1913, in various judicial districts of the United States, 216 cases involving an average of 2,477 separate violations of the hours of service act, were pending, while 258 counts were pending on appeal.

Up to November 1, 1913, the total penalties collected from the railroads because of violations of this law amounted to \$156,562.14, of which \$14. 500 has been assesed because of failure of the carriers to report specific instances of excess service.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC. After the 8th day of December all moving will be cash. We positively will not credit anyone. Please pay the

M'CRARY TRANSFER CO. an oyster roast down the island tomorrow night, at which proprietors of hotels in this city will be the hosts. situation in which during a single year to No. 912 Amicable Building.

MONEY TO LOAN On farms and city property, long or short time. No delay, Also build homes, monthly or annual payments. THE TEXAS LIFE INSURANCE CO. JNO. D. MAYFIELD, Secretary, Waco, Texas.

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Tinners and Cornice Makers Job and Repair Wo

. Specialty. Old phone 747. New phone 826 7071/2 South Seventh St.

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Huaco Knapp Bread **Huaco Cream Bread** 

And all other Brazos Baking Co. products on sale.

## Wednesday and Thereafter By Your Grocer

Due to flood conditions we were forced out of commission for several days. Our plant is now back in full equipment.

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115 Elm Street

missed. That of Karl Fricke, rged with aggravated assault and

Fricke resided at Leroy. et death some months ago and dis-issal came when the old outstanding

Confederate Veteran Writes of Ex. penses of a Reunion of Old Soldiers.

alone may have that many, let alone

At Chattanooga I went over

for thousands in their homes free, and thus cut down the expense at the

estimate by 200 per cent. There are whole lot of Texas Confederate vet-

rans in the woods, and they

nen and children.

To the Morning News.

WILL TERRY'S CASE. APPEALED FOWLER ESTIMATES THE COST FROM JUSTICE COURT, IS DISMISSED.

Case of Karl Fricke, Charged With Aggravated Assault and Battery, Halted by Death.

Richey held that the operation shows on Sunday by the donawas not a violation of the dismissed the other comas they were called for trial. compelled to take its course attorney's department dis-

Fricke Case Dismissed.

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THE LIFE OF MISS KATES.

Cool Headed Young Woman Rolls on Ground.

Her clothing aflame and suffering of boiling grease was rained upon her arms and street, into the back yard, a human and it is promised everywhere today.

Rare presence of mind and extraor-dinary coolness in the face of danger combined with prompt emergency treatment by Dr. W. L. Crossthwaite, who was summoned by eyewitnesses to the accident, saved the young wo-man's life. She received serious burns on the abdomen, the hot grease having penetrated her clothing, and her arms and hands are injured and disfigured temporarily, but her condition is not the period of the plant, but the condition is not the present the prese critical and she will be incapacitated are out of commission for the pre-for only a few days, in the opinion of This means that the city will be s

Caught in Rain of Grease. It was shortly after 6:30 'clock that Miss Kates was standing at the kitchof supper for the househld. A pan of grease on the stove became superheated to the boiling point. Suddenly there was a noise like an explosion of the boiling grease was en range, assisting in the preparation projected from the deep iron pan, fall-ing like a shower in the kitchen. Miss Kates was standing about two feet from the pan. The grease dripping of the conditions, and that water I read Comrade Gus H. West's ar- down the front of her dress became ignited in some unaccountable manticle in the matter of the "Annual Na-tional Confederate Reunion," a few man's clothing was a mass of flame.

The estimate he makes for the whole four days or more will not cover the expense of one day—\$7,500, into the yard, threw berself on the The last of the complaints filed in Justice Harvey M. Richey's court some months ago by individuals other than officers against owners and managers of motion picture shows charging them with operating their places on Sunday was disposed of yesterday by being dismissed by the county atterney's department.

The case was that of Will Terry, It was one of about six filed. Terry's case was the first to come to trial. A jury in the justice court sentenced him to a fine of \$20. The case was appealed to county court and has been hanging in that tribunal until the dismissal was entered by the attorney for the state.

Other Cases Dismissed.

In each of the other cases the complaints were dismissed by Justice Richey. With the exception of Terry's case all were tried before the court. Judge Richey held that the operation

the others, especially Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma—our border states. The river driveway at Cameron park Little Rock's managers were literally has not received so serious damage as was feared from the recent overswamped by the number of her own veterans. They never dreamed there flow, according to Commissioner Ben-jamin G. Kendall, who yesterday inwere so many in the state of Arkanspected the repair measures now be-I estimate 60,000 visitors, 50,000 of

whom will have to be entertained by the citizens of Waco. Remember that Although water was running across feet deep, the embankment on which it members of their families, and has been the custom to take care was b

Bermuda Grass Saved It.

the camp ground, and in the Ten-nessee quarters there were some wo-Kendall, is largely due to the Bermuda be made through I want to help build up and not tear down Comrade West's vision of the embankment when first built. The surface of the road was badly washed, and a deposit of thick sand washed, and a deposit of thick sand the right way. Let us make allowance for all exigencies and expenses. First, let us raise \$2,000 or more, if necessary, to send a rousing delega, ready for use in ten days. ecessary, to send a rousing delega- ready for use in ten days.

## tion to Jacksonville, Fla., headed by a a publicity bureau. A good brass band

cotton Palace grounds. Yet this ex-Old Saint Nick Is Piling Up Work for Postreaster Hoffman These Days.

The sessions of the National Confederate reunion lasts for only three days, but thousands arrive on the day before, and other thousands have to stop over till the morning after, because they cannot are the stacked up on the amplication.

Christmas packages for the parcel post flooded in upon Postmaster W. H. Hoffmann yesterday. The Christmas avalanche of mail matter, describe was made by City Passenger Agent Morrow yesterday. top, over till the morning after, beause they cannot get away. These
vill have to be housed and fed just
the same. Provision must be allowed
or this.

Do not forget about the tents, cots

Work for the Postmaster.

Do not forget about the tents, cots

There was no recess from the conand blankets while you are estimating the cost. It takes money to get them in and to send them back. Then cases down to thimble cases, which them in and to send them back. Then there is the water system to be reckoned with, with the many lavatories scattered over the camp and the sinks to be dug for the toilet houses, the water to flush same, toilet paper, paper towels, etc. This all costs money. I estimate the proposition of the camp for the reception of the veterans, as above, together with the necessary lumber, nails, pipe, faveets etc. and

TO FILL CHRISTMAS BASKET.

above, together with the necessary lumber, nails, pipe, faucets, etc., and labor at \$5,000. The kitchen and out-fit and dining hall large enough to accommodate 4,000 at one time, at \$3.-500 more. There will be about 500 or to Children's Missionary Society Will Give \$3.or Musicale at Fifth Street Church.
Tonight at the Fifth Street Methodchurch another enjoyable musicale chaperons to be cared for at about \$3 per day each, or \$4,500 for the three days, or \$6,000 for four days. This latter item may be reduced by the number, but not in price, for \$3.00 per day ber, but not in price and the second second

ket, which will be at the door.

No admission fee will be charged and there will be no free-will offering.

Following is the program for the

Recitation, Maude Egerton. Solo, Stella Lee Moore, Chorus, by the children, Recitation, Katherine Williams, Solo, I. A. Dryden Jr. Violin solo, Mrs. Wilfried E. Lessaccompanst, Miss Florence

Chorus, by the children.

Quartet, by the S. D. N. Quartet.
Piano solo, Mrs. F. O. Patskie.
"The Dutch Love Song," duet, Mr.
and Mrs. B. B. Edmiaston.
Trio, by the S. D. N. Singers.

Williams Loads Taxpayers.

H. D. Williams, of Twenty-fourth and Colcord, has the honor of being the first man to pay taxes this year. He came into the city hall shortly after the commissioners had adjourned Taxasay marring and finding that the Tuesday morning, and finding that the rate had been fixed, settled up his account with the tax collector's of-

RARE PRESENCE OF MIND SAVES PUMPS AGAIN FORCING WATER THROUGH ALL THE SERV-ICE MAINS.

#### IN AGONY, RETAINS HER WITS MUDDY, BUT CLEARING RAPIDLY

Her Dress a Seething Mass of Flame, Submerging of Pumping Machinery Caused Surprisingly Slight Dam

xcruciating pains from burns she re- big pump in the East Waco station rease was rained upon her arms and neck, Miss Clemmie Kates ran screaming from the kitchen of the home of Mrs. Addie Allison, 1702 North Fourth tricts water was flowing last night

There still remains a layer of mud Rare presence of mind and extraor- in the bottom of the pump pit, but it

Use Water Sparingly. Superintendent S. J. Quay last night requested that public notice be given used sparingly until more wells are in

After the pump was started yester day, it took several hours to fill the mains, and in some of the higher por-tions of the city water will not he received until this morning. The supis muddy, from a source so far no located. One of the wells, it is prodrawn is filled up or the concrete cas-ing broken. To locate the muddy well or wells and clarify the supply was the chief employment of the force at the waterworks last night.

In Good Working Order In spite of the inundation to which has been subjected, the pump ma-Superintendent Quay stated last night that it had sustained only slight dam-

Scenic Waterway to Be Installed of the Amusement Plaisance Next Year.

big new feature of the Cotton Palace of 1914, if the directors succeed in Although water was running across the driveway in a current six to eight meeting held last night.

A proposition has been submitted for the construction of the old mill, and it the construction of the deal is not carried through with one company it will

would be a fine adjunct to aid the cause.

Of course, the citizens could care

Of course, the citizens could care

Service Restored on Katy.

# Fruits

Fancy Cal. Oranges Florida Oranges Washington Apples **Tokay Grapes** Red Emperor Grapes Nuts of all kinds.

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Special Prices This Week on Fruit Cake Supplies.

Heinz Ready Mince Meat, per lb. ...25c

GROCERS

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Let the Christmas spirit take you Sanger-ward today. Make your selections now at this busy Christmas store. Our immense stocks, complete assortments, courteous salespeople, excellent service and reasonable prices make Christmas shopping here one of the greatest pleasures of the holiday season. Let us remind you again THAT EARLY BUYING IS WISE. SHOP IN THE MORNING.

Many Gift Novelties in Our Varied Displays of

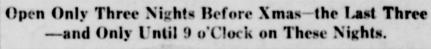
## Christmas Umbrellas

#### For Men, Women and Children

The novelties in Umbrellas, which naturally must be in the handles, are among the most beautiful and practical effects we have ever introduced, and are such as will readily receive the approval of those who select only the choicest designs created. Every quality is a standard one-the best to be had at the price, and in many instances the values are far in advance of the regular sorts. This advantage, viewed in combination with the practicability of such a gift should prove the wisdom of Umbrellas as Christmas Gifts.

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There is no gift that appeals to a woman more than fine Furs. Nothing so brings out beauty, gives such luxurious comfort and is so pleasingly practical as Furs. So. the man who seeks a Christmas gift de luxe can select Furs and serenely live in the anticipation of an appre ciated present. Choosing them here insures best quality and choosing them now assures both good selection and a substantial saving, for prices are reduced 25 per cent on our entire stock.





Slides and "Shoot the Chutes"

We have received a new shipment of Children's Athletic Slides and "Shoot the Chutes." Now on display in the Toy Department, Third Floor. 

BRING THE CHILDREN TO SANGER TOY TOWN

THE INTERURBAN AND ALL WACO STREET CARS COME HERE DIRECT.

State Closes Case Against the Seller of Amateurs' Songs

New York, Dec. 17.—The state ment, which was offered by E. A. closed its case late this afternoon against Robert Kellogg, erstwhile pi- under the ban of the club. ice on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas will be entirely restored. All trains passing Waco will be running on the same card time as before the floods office in Washington testified that office in Washington testified that records showed the defendant had office in Washington testified that records showed the defendant had copyrighted but seven poems sent by clients, whereas his agreement called for copyrighting each. for copyrighting each.
Kellogg then took the stand in his

Many composers of popular songs.

Kellogg testified, have the gift of music, but are not musicians. "Often the best they can do," he said, "is to pick out music for their songs on a plane with one finger. I revise the music of such compositions and put it into good condition. The writing of music is an inspiration and it. It into good condition. The writing of music is an inspiration and it
sometimes takes weeks to write the
music for even a popular song. I
wrote about 1,200 songs during the
five years. My receipts amounted to
about \$800 a month."
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Several witnesses who sent their poems to Kellok testified in his behalf. Among them was John B. Van, an elevator starter. It is a great mystery where my in-

to Kellogg as testified to by the wit-nesses who asserted they were satis-"La Grippa, Kerchu," "The Drunkard's Superintendent J. S. Morgan and A. K. "La Grippe, Kerchu," "The Drunkard's Superintendent J. S. Morgania Pay," "The Millionalre's Grief," "When Short, superintendent of the Ten

Telephone Auditor Becomes Farmer. San Saba, Tex., Dec. 17 .- C. C. Lockwood, former auditor for the West Texas Telephone company at Brown-wood, has resigned that position to engage in farming in San Saba county and has purchased a tract of 700 acres of land on the Colorado river man here which he has located with

The tract contains over 1,000 pecan trees and nearly all of the land is susceptible of irrigation.

Bermuda Camp W. O. W.
Buckholts, Tex., Dec. 17.—Bermuda
Vallay Camp, Woodmen of the World,
at its last regular session elected officers for the ensuing year as fol-

J. H. Scarborough, consul commander; W. E. Coley, advisor lieutenant; Jack Barnes, banker; D. E. Criswell, clerk; J. O. Seagers, ascort; Jesse Smith, watchman; John Cummings, sentry; T. R. Dailey and E. B. Har-

Club Will Vote on Amendment Affect ing Telephone Directories. The proposed amendment to article 4 of the by-laws of the Waco Ad club will be voted upon at tonight's meet-

White eliminates telephone directories from the list of advertising mediums

Ed Long le to Hang

To Lecture at Schools.

Belton, Tex., Dec. 17.—County Agri-cultural Agent Thos. Youngblood is for writing poetry to elevator starting, but elevator starting is more certain in its pay."

Lit is a great mystery where my incultural agent ag to the organization of boys' corn clubs.

He plans to visit as many schools My Mother Used the Slipper," and Belton experiment station, and give "Under the Old Man's Table Again." practical demonstrations in the manner of testing seed corn.

## DARK CHRISTMAS FOR "DUDE"

On Parole From Gatesville He Shot Out the Lights, so He Must Go Back.

Dewey Powell, employed for some months by the Western Union Tele-graph company, as messanger boy and known to those to whom he de-"Dude," must return to the state training school at Gatesville, from which place he has been out on pro-

"Dude" went up to Gatesville more than a year ago. Good behavior and an effort on the part of some inter-ested in him obtained a parole for the lad.

A day or so ago he is said to have "shot out the lights" from in front of

be placed in custody of the sheriff's department and returned for violating the conditions of his parole. County Attorney John B. McNamara took the complaint against "Dude" yesterday.

First Boy to Break Parole.

As far as his memory runs the county attorney can recollect no instance where a smillar case has come to his attention and is of the opinion that "Dude" is the first boy to violate the provisions of his parole and to be that "Dude" is the first boy to violate the provisions of his parole and to be returned to Gatesville on such com-plaint since his term of office. The lad will be taken away immediately.

B. B. McReynolds Paralyzed.

B. B. McReynolds, a well-known salesman, is seriously ill at his home, 1415 South Seventh street, under the care of Dr. J. T. Harrington. Mr. Mc-Disinfect your premises with Carbo-lated Lime, made for sanitary pur-poses only. Put up in 50c packages. For sale at Brazelton, Pryor & Co.'s Lumber Yard.—Advertisement.

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